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GRAFT "SALESMANSHIP" IN S. AMERICA

COMPROMISING LETTER

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Washington, Sept. 5.

Further sensational evidence was forthcoming to-day relative to the international armaments racket, during the questioning of the President of the Electric Boat Company by the Senate Committee of Investigation.

Mr. Carso to-day testified that during the Leticia dispute between Peru and Colombia his firm sold to Peru ammunition supplied by Messrs. Vickers, which was delivered through the West Indies after an unsuccessful attempt to send it via Brazil.

Excitement developed when Senator Clark, one of the members of the Nye Committee, produced a letter sent by Mr. Spear, the Vice-President of the Electric Boat Company, to Mr. Charles Craven, the managing director of Messrs. Vickers Limited, in the course of which Mr. Spear informed Vickers that the business of selling warships to South America was based upon graft.

BRIBERY CHARGES.

Senator Clark alleged that certain payments made to the Electric Boat Company's Peruvian representative and passed on to certain Peruvian interests actually amounted to bribery.

Senator Clark included the name of Leguia, the son of the Peruvian President, as a possible recipient of commissions on submarines sold to Peru, but this Mr. Carso denied.

The Committee, questioning Mr. Carso, alleged that the Electric Boat Company attempted to help Peru to get an American loan in 1920 to enable Peru to buy the Company's warships. — United Press.

HOT WEATHER NOT UNUSUAL

INFLUENCED BY THE TYPHOON

The hot spell at present, being experienced in the Colony is due to the existence of the typhoon, which was situated over Central Formosa this morning, moving in a northerly direction, and which therefore in no way threatens Hongkong.

The possibility is that cooler conditions may prevail when the typhoon moves faster into the Formosa Channel.

Yesterday, the Royal Observatory recorded a temperature of 91 degrees. This is by no means a record for September. The highest September record is 94, which was established as far back as 1895. There have been many occasions during the past ten years when a temperature beyond 91 has been recorded in September.

The Manila Observatory, reporting at 8.50 this morning, located the typhoon in about 121 Long., 23 Lat., moving N.N.W.

WAR LOAN BOOM

London, Sept. 5. War Loan 3½ per cent. moved to a new high level of 105 to-day. — British Wireless.

AMERICAN TENNIS TITLE

F. J. Perry Goes Easily Into Third Round

New York, Sept. 5. The U.S. open tennis championship was resumed at Forest Hills to-day, after days of rain. There were no surprises. F. J. Perry, the holder of the title, won his second round match easily. — Reuter.

ARSENAL WIN EASILY

SWIFT CLIMB TO FOURTH PLACE

YESTERDAY'S HOME FOOTBALL

London, Sept. 5.

Arsenal followed up their win over Liverpool with an easy victory against Blackburn Rovers to-day, giving them an aggregate of twelve goals to one in their first two matches at Highbury.

Other home football matches played to-day were equally free of the element of surprise, although the 3-2 win of Queen's Park Rangers over Crystal Palace upset the Selhurst fans.

Charlton, too, were away winners, taking both points from Torquay, thereby jumping into a challenging position for the leadership. Newport County suffered their first defeat, going down at Bournemouth, where the local side gained their first victory of the present season.

Sixteen matches were played in the English League. Full results and revised tables will be found in the Sports Pages.

Century Against Australians

MINOR COUNTIES' PLAYER'S FEAT

London, Sept. 5. Mr. W. E. Harbord, of the Yorkshire second eleven, accomplished a noteworthy performance at the Oval to-day, when he carried his bat for a century against the Australians.

Harbord, who was playing for the Minor Counties in a two-day fixture, compiled the excellent total of 104 not out, in an aggregate of 183. No other batsman was able to offer any resistance to the Australian attack.

At the close of play, the tourists had the game well in hand, having scored 140 for the loss of two wickets. Brown contributed 53 to the total and Darling scored 64 not out. — Reuter.

CHINA PROTEST

JAPAN'S PROGRAMME OF DEPORTATION

Nanking, Sept. 6. Mr. Chiang Tso-phi, Chinese Minister to Tokyo, has been instructed to lodge a protest with the Japanese Government against the mass deportation of Chinese labourers from Japan.

The latest batch arriving in Shanghai on Tuesday complained that when passing through Moji thirty-one of them were roughly handled by the local police. — Central News.

"BETRAYAL OF FRIENDS"

CYNICISM IN JUSTIFICATION

BLUNT ARTICLE

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Milan, Sept. 5.

Relations between Italy and Germany which have been strained recently are not likely to be improved by a comment made in the Italian Press to-day and generally attributed to Signor Mussolini.

Answering the recent anti-Italian attacks of the German newspaper—a reprisal for alleged Italian newspaper attacks on Germany—the *Popolo d'Italia* in an article of which Il Duce is believed to be the author, says, in part:

"If there have ever been a glaring proof of their unfaithfulness to sworn pacts, of their betrayal of friends, and of cynicism in justifying these habits, it is the Germans."

CHILDISH STUPIDITY.

The article goes on to say that the ire of the German Press is due to disappointment, which is the result of a belief that at all times in any circumstances Italy could be relied upon as determined to stand on the side of Germany for ever.

"To expect the government of another country to pursue a policy in direct conflict with its own interests is equivalent to showing childish stupidity," the article concludes. — United Press.

LEAGUE COUNCIL SEAT RIVALRY

TURKEY MAY PUSH OUT CHINA

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Geneva, Sept. 5.

Turkey has now presented herself as a candidate for a seat on the Council of the League of Nations, which China is due to vacate.

A Turkish official statement says that Persia is withdrawing her candidature in favour of Turkey.

The development means that China's chances of being re-elected are now compromised. — Reuter Special.

UPTON SINCLAIR NOMINATION

"SILENT" APPROVAL OF PRESIDENT

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New York, Sept. 5.

Friends of Mr. Upton Sinclair, after his long talk with President Roosevelt at Hyde Park, are convinced that F.D.R. at least silently approves of Sinclair's candidacy for the California governorship, including the much vaunted EPIC Plan.

Mr. Sinclair has many friends in the Administration and his election is generally expected.

The famous author claims that his EPIC Plan is practically the same as the New Deal. — Reuter.

STARTLING MUSSOLINI ATTACK ON GERMANY



Leaving behind him memories of "the nightmare of terror," Herr Hitler is here seen in one of the few pictures taken of him since the "blood purge," as he arrived at Heiligendamm for a brief holiday. He was met by Dr. Joseph Goebbels, Propaganda Minister (in civilian attire, at right) and Frau Goebbels.

FRENCH POLICY IN SAAR

RETURN TO REICH ACCEPTED

SOONER OR LATER

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Paris, Sept. 5.

France is perfectly willing that the Saar should return to Germany later if the plebiscite does not decide this in January.

This is the effect of a reference made in an official memorandum on the Saar question to the right of the inhabitants of the Territory to modify the political status of the Saar at some future date, much as they will.

It is an important suggestion as it may have an appreciable effect upon the January plebiscite voting.

It is given added interest by the fact that several anti-Nazi leaders in the Saar Territory have stated their wish to remain under the administration of the League of Nations for the present, but hope that they will return to Germany later. — Reuter Special.

FORMER CHIEF BAILIFF

MR. F. HOWELL DIES AT HOME

Many residents of the Colony will regret to learn of the death, which occurred at home, on August 5, of Mr. Fred Howell, former Chief Bailiff of the Supreme Court.

It appears that Mr. Howell injured a toe when he was cutting a corn, with the result that gangrene and blood poisoning set in, from which he died.

Mr. Howell occupied the position of Chief Bailiff for many years, and was extremely popular amongst a large circle of friends.

The Dollar Steamship Line s.s. President Coolidge will sail from Hongkong at noon on Saturday, September 8, for Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama, Honolulu, San Francisco and Los Angeles. This is a very convenient sailing for businessmen for Shanghai, who do not wish to lose any working time, as this steamer leaves Hongkong at noon on Saturday and will arrive in Shanghai on Monday morning. — Reuter.

THE GREAT TEXTILE STRIKE

GAINING GROUND STEADILY

MR. ROOSEVELT INTERVENES

Washington, Sept. 5.

Mr. Franklin Roosevelt has intervened in the textile strike in an attempt to furnish a basis for a settlement.

A Board of Three has been appointed by the President to inquire into the causes of the strike and to make recommendations.

The Board comprises Mr. John Winant, the Governor of New Hampshire, Mr. Marion Smith, of Atlanta, and Mr. Ingersoll, the President of Brooklyn Borough.

The Board is to report to the President not later than October 1 and is empowered to arbitrate in the dispute if the parties make a request to that effect.

GAINING GROUND.

The latest independent survey of the strike situation reveals that 325,000 operatives have downed tools and Mr. Sloan, President of the Textile Institute, who was optimistic yesterday, now admits that the strike is gaining ground and says that a number of factories which were able to open yesterday are now closed while others are being forced to close through intimidation. — Reuter.

TEXTILE STRIKE IN U.S.

PRESIDENT EXPECTED TO INTERVENE

New York, Sept. 5.

According to the *Wall Street Journal*, a more optimistic tone prevails on the stock market, due to the intention of President Roosevelt to mediate in the textile strike.

An Associated Press survey shows that the strike is only 30 per cent. effective. — Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.

DUKE OF GLOUCESTER DEPARTS

London, Sept. 5. The Duke of Gloucester sailed from Marseilles in the cruiser *Sussex* today for Australia.

HERR HITLER ON COMMUNISM

PRINCE GEORGE'S PLANS

Returning To London Next Week

London, Sept. 5. It is expected that Prince George will return to London from Yugo-Slavia early next week. Princess Marina of Greece, his fiancée, will visit England a week or two later and will probably stay at Balmoral Castle with the King and Queen. — British Wireless.

Railway Income Rises

BRITISH TRADE IMPROVEMENT

London, Sept. 5.

Further evidence of the continued improvement in British trade is shown in the traffic returns of the four principal railway systems.

The total receipts for the past week amounted to £3,261,000 which represents an increase of £123,000 on those of the corresponding week of last year.

Recent favourable returns of overseas trade are also reflected in the improvements in entrances and departures of ships at United Kingdom ports engaged in foreign trade.

The official return shows that the net tonnage of vessels arriving with cargoes in July was nearly 4 per cent. more than in July, 1933, while the departures with cargo increased by 1.4 per cent.

Arrivals in ballast were 0.7 per cent. smaller but the departures were 2.3 per cent. greater.

The increases were general in the coasting trade, cargo arrivals rising by 1.3 per cent., departures by 1.7 per cent., ballast entrances by 5.9 per cent., and clearances by 8.1 per cent. — British Wireless.

PROTECTION FOR FOREIGNERS

CHARHAR'S SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Kalgan, Sept. 5.

General Soong Tse-yuan, Governor of Charhar, has appointed a committee to plan the development of a suburb of Kalgan as a foreign trade quarter in order to accord foreign residents better protection. — Central News.

DRAFT REGULATION.

Nanking, Sept. 6.

The Central Political Council has approved the draft of a regulation governing foreign travel in the interior, which aims at giving fuller protection to foreigners and at the same time limits their activities to certain spheres. — Central News.

GERMAN PLANE IN CANTON

Canton, Sept. 5.

A big neoplane capable of accommodating eighteen passengers, which has been ordered by the Eurasia Aviation Corporation from Germany, arrived here from Europe this evening and will continue its flight to Shanghai tomorrow. — Reuter.

GERMANY STEMS THE FLOOD

NATION CANNOT LIVE WITHOUT REVOLUTION

NAZI PARTY CONVENTION

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Nuremberg, Sept. 5.

Remarkable scenes were witnessed here to-day at the convention of the National Socialist Party, when Herr Hitler addressed an enormous crowd.

Der Fuehrer surveyed Germany's past and depicted the future, saying "the culture alien to German life that has been introduced by Jewish Intellectualism" and declaring that in future the political as well as the cultural development of the country must be in the hands of the Nazi Party.

Herr Hitler re-emphasised the dangers of Communism throughout the world and said: "Just as when the national and racial shock from the immeasurable East broke upon Germany, so also now our people form a breakwater against a flood which otherwise would have buried Europe."

If the world does not understand the success of Nazism, he said, it is due to the Press, which only upon conditions wants to be a research worker in the service of eternal truth.

NATION AND REVOLUTION.

In the course of the opening of the proceedings at the convention, the District Leader, Herr Adolf Wagner, read a proclamation by Herr Hitler, in the course of which he said: "By this revolution the German form of life has been definitely settled for the next thousand years... If our enemies, especially those beyond our borders, are prone to consider four million opposition votes as a menacing opposition then we can only smile to ourselves... The National Socialist revolution is a revolutionary struggle has now ended. Just as the world cannot live without war, so a nation cannot live without revolution." — United Press.

LONDON M.P.'S FUNERAL

REMARKABLE TRIBUTE PAID

London, Sept. 5.

A remarkable tribute was paid to-day to the memory of a former London Liberal Member of Parliament, Mr. Frank Bryant, when his funeral took place in Lambeth. The greater part of Mr. Bryant's life had been devoted to work among the poor, and every political, social and philanthropic organisation in the area was represented at the church service, as well as many members of both Houses of Parliament. — British Wireless.

WORLD SCULLING CHAMPIONSHIP

TITLE HOLDER WINS EASILY

In the world's sculling championship race on Lake Ontario to-day, the Canadian holder of the title, Mr. J. H. Miller (United States), won his fourth title. The race was won in 10 minutes 15 seconds. — Reuter.

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FILMLAND NEWS

Margaret Sullivan Films In New List

AMBITIOUS LINE-UP

Carl Laemmle has announced, on behalf of Universal, a schedule of 42 productions for next season. Last year the sum of two million dollars was added to the customary budget. This year the additional amount has been increased by one more million.

"This enlarged schedule of features, the expensive novels, and plays that it include, the 20 stars and featured players, the experienced directors, and the money which is in hand to produce this ambitious programme," said an official, in announcing the list, "is an evidence of the faith that Carl Laemmle has in the solid recovery from depression. It is an indication of his belief that the market not only will absorb this enlarged programme, but that it demands it."

Among the leading pictures announced are "Show Boat," with a new treatment; "Sutter's Gold," two productions starring Margaret Sullivan; "The Good Fairy," "Within This Present," "The Great Ziegfeld" (dramatisation of the life of the great showman, starring William Powell); two of Dickens's novels, "Great Expectations" and "The Mystery of Edwin Drood"; "Princess O'Hara," "Ransom, One Million Dollars," "Night Life of the Gods," "Magnificent Obsession," "The Bride of Frankenstein" (a sequel to the former horror picture), "Strange Wives," "The Raven" (by Edgar Allan Poe), "Zest," "The Man Who Reclaimed His Head," "Transient Lady," "It Happened in New York," "Fanny," "Cheating Cheaters," "A Cup of Coffee," "Gift of Gab" (starring Edmund Lowe and Gloria Stuart), "The Human Side" (with Adolph Menjou and Doris Kenyon), and several adventure pictures starring Buck Jones.

Among the directors who will produce pictures for Universal next season are John M. Stahl, James Whale, Lowell Sherman, William Wyler, Stuart Walker, Richard Thorpe, and Eddie Buzzell.

Among the stars who have been signed up for one or two Universal productions are Margaret Sullivan, William Powell, Edmund Lowe, Sally Egan, Chester Morris, Paul Lukas, Polly Walters, Roger Pryor, Douglas Montgomery, Heather Angel, Russ Colombo, Gloria Stuart, Boris Karloff, Buck Jones, Binnie Barnes, Slim Summerville, Zasu Pitts, Frank Lawton, June Knight, Victor Moore, Lella Hyams, Onslow Stevens, and Alice White.

NEW VIEW OF HOLLYWOOD.

William Gargan, the well-known Hollywood player, who is in Britain to make "Schooldays" with Cicely Courtneidge, gives a new sidelight on Hollywood life.

"So far from being the gayest, wickedest city under the sun," he said in an interview, "Hollywood is the dullest—at least, from the point of view of night-life. There are a couple of nightclubs, and one or two restaurants and hotels hold dances, but there really is nothing to do away from home at night. As a stage-actor fresh from New York, where one dances, sups, makes merry until 2 a.m., after the show, I found my first six months of 'early-to-bed' life in Hollywood—and most of Hollywood is in bed by ten!—insufferably dull.

"But, after a while, the place gets hold of you. Now, after two years, I'd hate to live anywhere else. This is chiefly, I think, on account of the splendidly open-air life one can lead. Riding, golf, aviation, surf-bathing, speedboat-racing, every kind of sport can be enjoyed within a ten minutes' drive in a car, and cheaply, too. Polo, for example, which is, I understand, the most exclusive and expensive game in Europe is a popular craze out West. It's played by all sorts and conditions of people."

BRITISH STAR'S REPORTED ROMANCE.

A romance is reported in Hollywood (says Reuter) between Miss

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Tongue and Lettuce Sandwiches:—Wash and dry thoroughly a crisp lettuce—even the heart of a raw spring cabbage—and shred it finely. Place it on buttered bread and put the tongue slices on top.

Nut and Date Sandwiches:—Chop up a cupful each of nuts and dates. Add a little lemon juice and place between brown bread and butter.

Merle Oberon, the 23-year-old British film actress who became famous as Anne Bolwyn in "The Private Life of Henry VIII," and who stars with Douglas Fairbanks in "Don Juan," and Mr. Joseph M. Schenck, president of United Artists Film Corporation.

Friends say that they have either already married at Monte Carlo or are about to do so.

Mr. Schenck was formerly the husband of Norma Talmadge. They were divorced in April this year.

DIRECTOR'S PROGRESS.

Robert J. Flaherty, the director of "Man of Aran," is making a pretty recovery from the operation which he underwent recently.

He became ill while a guest at the Royal garden party in the grounds of Buckingham Palace, and was operated upon the same night. Within 36 hours he had insisted on the installation of a telephone by his bedside, and was in communication with the studio on matters concerning his next film, and the exploitation of "Man of Aran."

USING BRITISH SCENERY.

One of the chief criticisms of British films has been the lack of exteriors, and the amount of British picture which have used natural locations for their outdoor sequences has been negligible.

Five current British international pictures, it is stated, all contain a large percentage of work filmed in the natural English back-grounds.

Devonshire, Maidenhead, the East Coast of England, and various large towns have all been tapped for atmosphere.

ARLISS'S BRITISH FILM.

A start has been made at the Shepherd's Bush studios, on the

DOLORES DEAD

Model Who Posed for Epstein

LIFE OF LUXURY AND POVERTY

Dolores, Epstein's famous model, has died in a London nursing-home at the age of 40. She was a victim of cancer.

Over a year ago she knew that she was suffering from cancer and could never recover. She disappeared from her old haunts, underwent two operations, and was told last October that the end was only a matter of months.

As dancer, actress, and model she had lived in that Bohemia, which is almost a country of the past, tasting of popularity and fame and sinking in her later days to poverty and distress, and more than once living in a garret.

Once the toast of the West End, Dolores, not long before she fell ill, had been seeking a living in a Tottenham Court Road Fun Fair, sitting in a barrel for weeks on end; and, on another occasion, posing, half draped, as "Eve, or Eat More Fruit."

She stated once that she was born in Doughty Street, Bloomsbury, and as a child went to Tiller's dancing school, afterwards appearing in various shows for John Tiller as a juvenile.

MARRIED THREE TIMES.

Her real name was Norina Lattimore. She had been three times married; and, when married to Mr. George William Lattimore, an American theatrical and film producer, in 1926, she was described as the daughter of a medical practitioner and as the divorced wife of Richard Harry Farwell Peckover Sadler.

When she was fined in November 1931 for failing to notify her address as an alien—having married an American—she declared that her husband deserted her within two months of the marriage. "The marriage has completely ruined me both socially and from an artistic point of view," she added.

A 20-year-old artist, termed a genius by many who knew him, committed suicide because of Dolores. He was Frederick Atkinson, the self-taught son of a Rotherham (Yorkshire) miner.

He met Dolores in London, fell in love with her—"call love," Dolores called it—bought her jewellery, and gave expensive dinners, until his money was gone.

He was then found dead in his studio in Maida Hill, poisoned.

Dolores afterwards declared that, on the last occasion on which she saw him alive, Atkinson kissed her good-bye, and they parted the best of friends.

Dolores strenuously denied that she had wittingly been the cause of Atkinson's death.

HOW SHE MET EPSTEIN.

This is the story of how Dolores met Epstein, the famous sculptor. In 1920 she was sitting in the Cafe Royal, London, when Epstein rose from an adjoining table, crossed to her, took her hands and asked, "Will you be my model?"

Dolores smiled, and answered, "Yes, I will."

Within a week she joined the Epstein household, and posed for him daily; and the fame she had won previously as a dancer was soon surpassed.

She has told how she used to sleep at the foot of the bust the sculptor did of her.

Dolores made more than one brave but unsuccessful attempt to live down the tragedies that beset her closing year, but the struggle was too much for her.

work in connection with the "Iron Duke," the first of the three films which George Arliss is making for Gaumont British. The director, Victor Saville, and George Arliss are now occupied with rehearsals with the cast, which is nearly complete.

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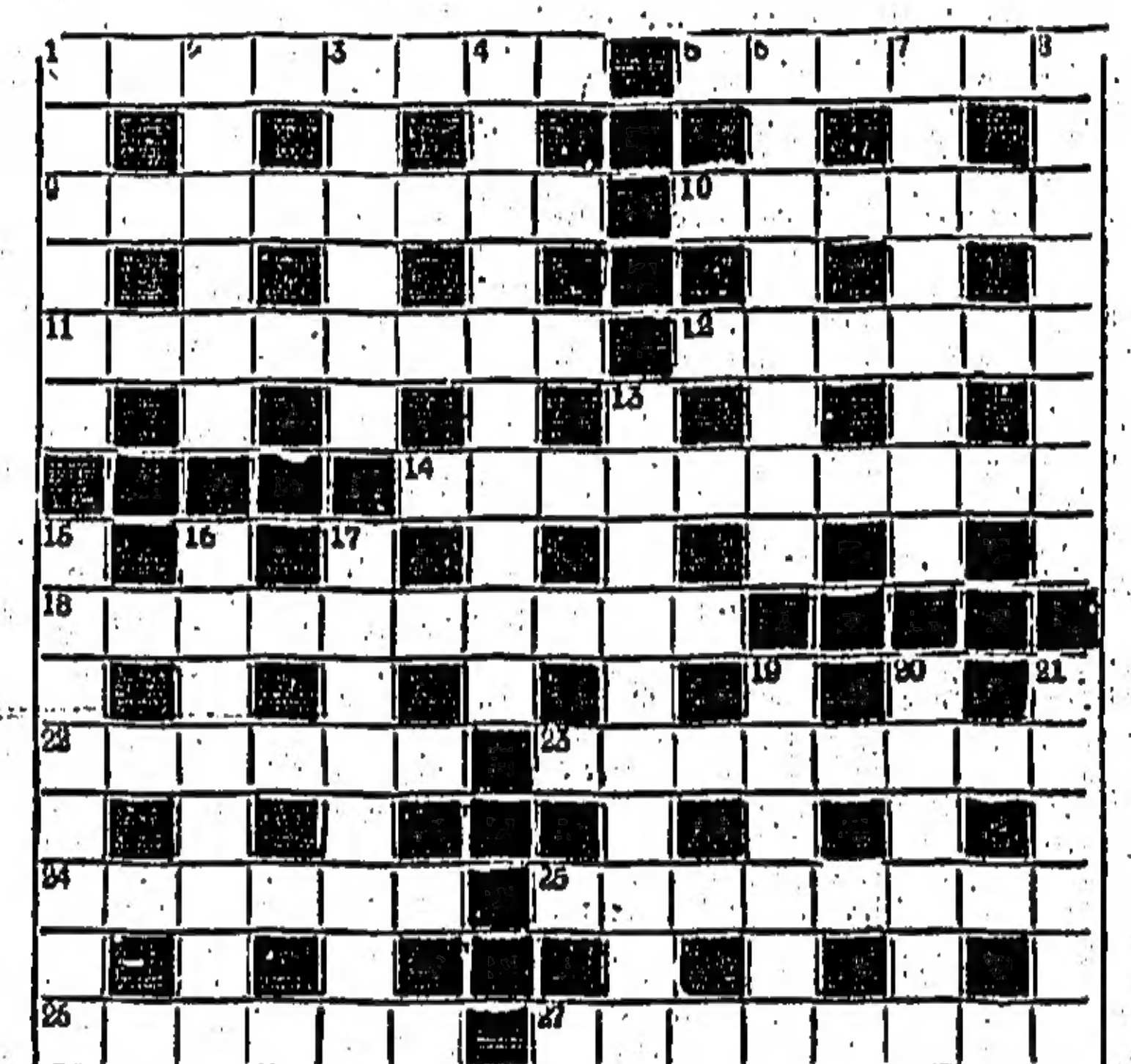
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- 5 Eastern ended insect.
- 9 A sinner's confession is not unimpressive.
- 10 In the garden one might find this in the way.
- 11 Obese lot become quite out of fashion.
- 12 A piscatorial throwback, no doubt.
- 14 A curtaller of latitude.
- 18 One of Neptune's steeds (two words).
- 22 Bits of fancy flying do not make for growth.
- 23 A hot favourite with the plumber.
- 24 Things that Alice saw in the looking glass.
- 25 Weakness does not usually tend to this as an argument, but might.
- 26 Unwilling.
- 27 Amiable.

Down

- 1 Even swindlers are taken in here.
- 2 What the Y down looks like.
- 3 What a fisherman might consider a smack.
- 4 This helps the understanding of a text.
- 6 This may be 11 across in many ways, but even the lady motorist still likes to show a good one

In progress.

- 7 Epithet for the big, bad, hungry wolf.
- 8 Not a lawless African town.
- 10 A playing the tinker uses without the eighth letter (two words).
- 15 An Ayran sun-symbol.
- 16 Ape with tail departed.
- 17 Tall billiards players take the this, but it's hardly ever still.
- 19 A number.
- 20 This is enclosed in the head of 13 down.
- 21 Far-reaching in a short while.

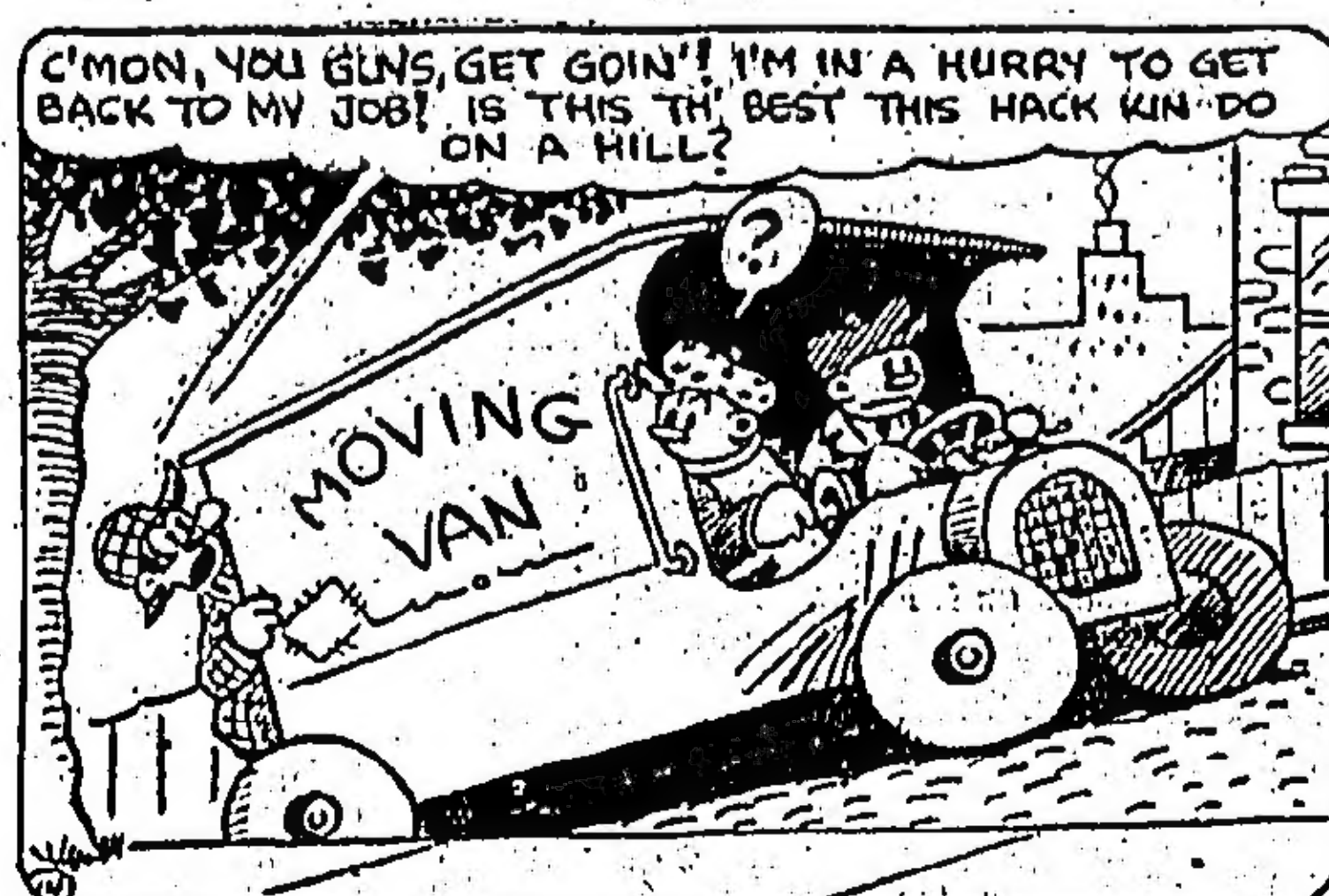
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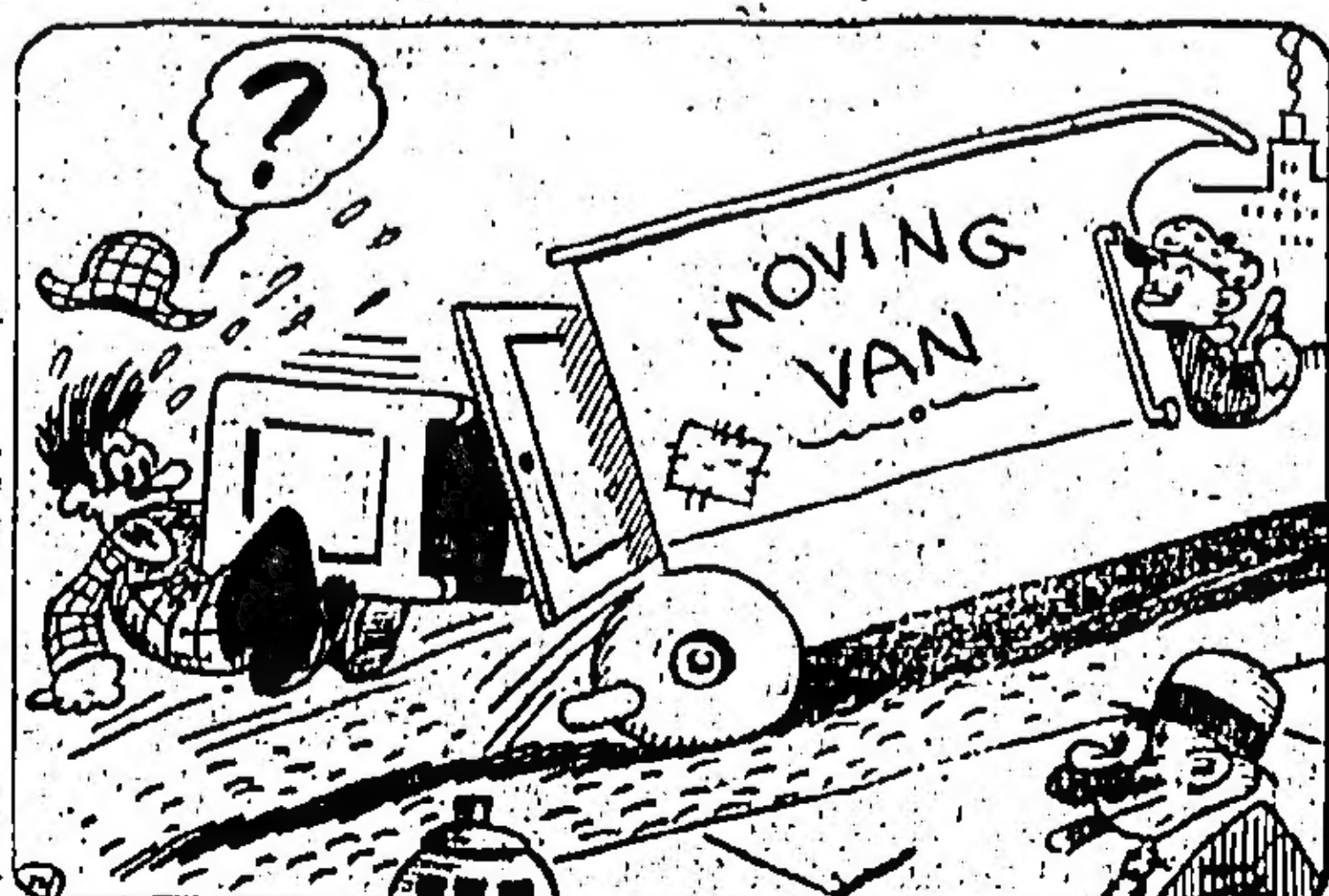


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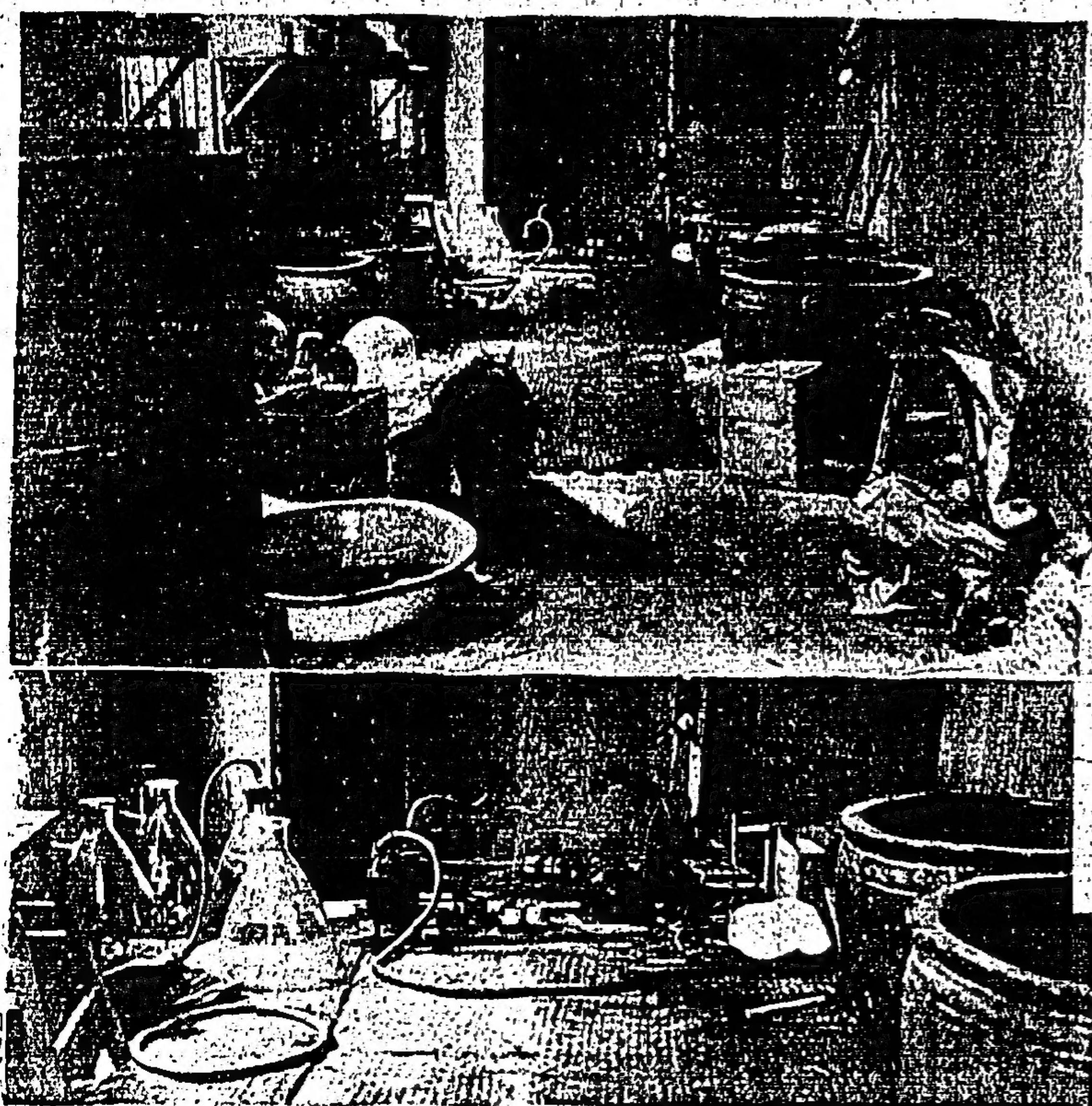


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Regarded in official circles as one of the most important narcotic discoveries in many months in the International Settlement, a raid on a "red pill" factory by detectives from Yulin Road Station, is expected to lead to additional discoveries regarding the operations of a drug ring with ramifications in many other centres. The raid which resulted in the arrest of five Chinese and one Japanese, and also the seizure of a considerable quantity of raw material and manufactured derivatives, revealed an extensive plant with valuable modern laboratory equipment. Photo shows one of the rooms in the "factory" with part of the equipment for the manufacture of the "pill." The glass retorts, mixing bowls, electric motor and other paraphernalia may be seen in the foreground and scattered around the room.

ARMED HOLD-UP IN LONDON

Clerk Bound and Gagged By Masked Men

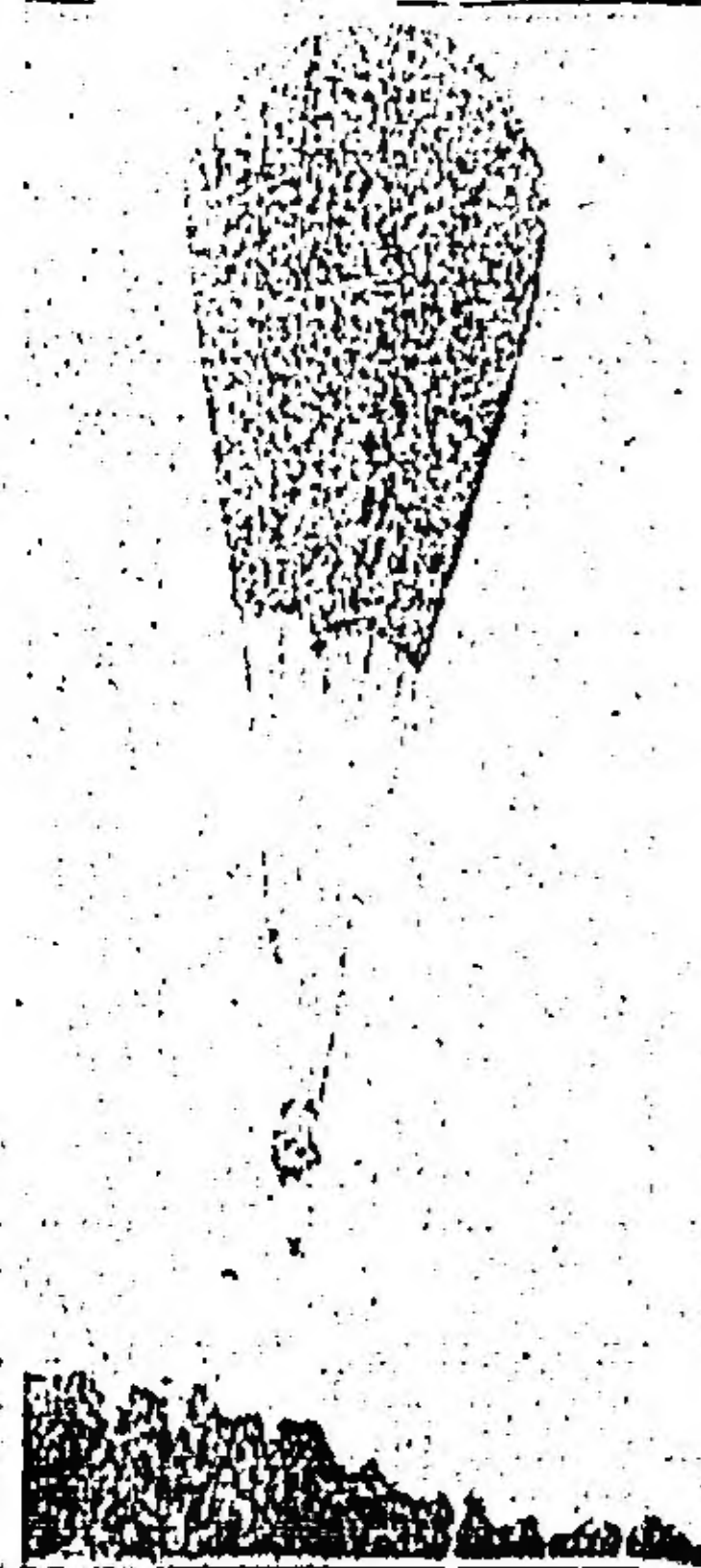
Two masked men, armed with a revolver, raided a booking office in the subway of Moorgate, Metropolitan Railway station shortly after midnight recently, and, having bound and gagged the clerk, Douglas R. Foot, of Millstead Street, Brixton, stole about £12.

The subway was deserted at the time except for one passer-by, who saw the men running away, tried to stop them, and was knocked down. The men escaped in a motor-car.

Foot was checking his takings when a man asked for change for a 10s. note. As the clerk turned to get it a second man opened the door, and, pressing a revolver against his side, forced him back with his face to the wall, keeping the revolver close to him all the time.

The other man entered the booking office and pulled down the shutter in front of the window. The two placed the money spread on the table into bags, bound and gagged the clerk, and pushed him under the desk, and then, having cut the telephone wires and smashed the electric lamp, ran from the office.

Information was given to the City police, who searched the station but found no trace of the men.



Proudly starting her ascent into the stratosphere, the world's largest balloon carried three intrepid flyers from the earth at Moonlight Valley, South Dakota. Eleven miles up the huge bag ripped and the flight ended. Army balloonists escaped death by parachutes.

FAMILY'S PERIL IN QUICKSAND

Young Couple and Child Sucked Down

A young woman's terrible experience of seeing her husband and child become completely engulfed in a stretch of treacherous quicksands while she herself was sinking deeper and deeper is reported from Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset, on the south shore of the Bristol Channel.

The young couple, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cox, of 3 Lynceost Gardens, Hounslow, London and their small child, were on a motor tour in Somerset and had stopped at Burnham.

They had walked some distance along the sands just south of the lighthouse, but as they had been warned that the place was dangerous they decided not to bathe, but to paddle only. There were other people paddling nearby. The tide was out.

With the child between them Mr. and Mrs. Cox, neither of whom are swimmers, had just reached the water when the sand beneath them started to slide away.

Mrs. Cox's cries attracted the attention of other people and a crowd soon collected.

Mrs. Cox and her husband and child, however, continued to sink in the treacherous sands, and for a moment all that could be seen above the water was the woman's upraised hand and arm.

The husband and child were not to be seen at all.

Mrs. Cox was eventually pulled out in a semi-conscious condition.

Meanwhile the man had seen struggling hard to extricate himself from the sands. He managed to retain the child's hand in his. His struggles took him further out to sea, and there in a short while he emerged to the surface.

A human chain was formed of the onlookers, and Inspector Higgins, of the Llanelli police, who happened to be near, plunged into the water and pulled Mr. Cox and the child to safety.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox and their child all recovered after treatment at Burnham Hospital, though Mr. Cox was detained for a time suffering from shock.

Mr. Cox, in an interview, said that although he could not swim, he was determined to make a fight of it.

"It all happened in a minute," he said. "The water was just over our feet and the next minute I felt myself being sucked under. I went on my back, and the water came over me, but I kept baby's hand in mine. I kicked out, but could not come to the surface. Then I got into a current and came up. I don't remember much else, until I found myself on dry land."

THEY WOULDN'T HAVE GAS

Amusing Story At Dental Conference

An amusing story was related to delegates of the British Dental Association at their annual conference at Dundee, by Mr. R. C. Scott Dow, of Edinburgh.

Mr. Dow said that many patients on sitting down in a certain dentist's chair, changed their minds, declaring that "they wouldn't have gas to-day."

This puzzled the dentist, and one day he sat in the chair himself, and saw across the street the following legend, painted in big letters on the wall of the Salvation Army Citadel—"Prepare to meet your God."

The dentist subsequently removed his premises.

Mr. R. Willcox, of Clifton, related how a celebrated Welsh international footballer, under the influence of an anaesthetic, went into violent paroxysms. As soon as the dentist had simply removed a tooth the footballer seized him by the thigh, threw him against the wall, and caused the nurse to jump through the window.

The anaesthetist, a Scotsman, who also played the game, tackled the Welsh international, who was finally mastered only by the combined efforts of the anaesthetist and the dentist.

As he came round, the patient said—"I feel I have been doing something. Will you accept double fees as compensation?"

"That patient was a real sport," observed Mr. Willcox.

DO YOU LIKE SERIALS?

"Telegraph" Readers' Views Sought

The *Telegraph* is anxious to ascertain the views of its readers concerning the continuation or otherwise of serial stories which have been a feature of this journal for some years past.

Our last serial, "Stay Out of My Life," concluded on Thursday last, and enquiries have since reached us as to whether we intend resuming this feature. If there is a demand for serials, we shall be only too happy to comply therewith, but for our guidance we would appreciate expressions of opinion on the matter from our readers.

Those interested are requested to fill in the form given below and return it to the Editor as early as possible.

Are you in favour of the continuation of serial stories? —

Name

Address

WINE MAGNATE'S ROMANCE

Sir Walter Gilbey Marries Widow

It was revealed recently that Sir Walter Gilbey, Bart., and Mrs. Marion Miller Broadhead, of Farnley Tyns, near Huddersfield, were married at a Huddersfield register office last month.

There were no bridesmaids at the wedding, and only five local friends of the bride and bridegroom were present.

The register gave Sir Walter's address as 22 Downe Street, Piccadilly, and he was described simply as a "Baronet, previously married, now divorced."

His age was given as 74, and that of the bride as 39.

The bride is the widow of Mr. Wilson Broadhead, a director of a firm of gas engineers at Elland, near Huddersfield. She is the late Mr. James Roberts, a brewer, of Farnley Tyns.

Sir Walter, who has strong ideas on the propriety of dress, was married in a smart grey lounge suit, and he wore a bowler hat with the new-fashioned brim and carried yellow gloves.

Sir Walter is the second baronet. He married in 1884 Miss Ella Fowle, daughter of the late Mr. J. C. Fowle, of Coombe Warren, Kingston Hill. This marriage was dissolved in 1925. There is one son, Mr. Walter Ewart Gilbey.

Sir Walter has long been known as the "champion of the horse." He takes a tremendous interest in horses and riding, and is often to be seen in Rotten Row.

He is a firm upholder of the tradition and etiquette of riding. He has no sympathy with the slipshod rider in Rotten Row and has more than once attacked riders for turning out in the Row in what he described as slovenly attire.

Sir Walter has been present at every Shire horse show in London from 1877 onwards, and was president of the Society in 1927.

Sir Walter's father was the founder of the large wine business with which he is associated.

TREATMENT OF CATARRH

GOVT. SERVANTS AS RESEARCH SUBJECTS.

The British Post Office has recently experimented on members of its staff in selected districts with a view to ascertaining the efficacy of vaccine treatment for catarrhal affections.

This experiment, which was undertaken with the approval of the staff side of the Post Office Whitley Council, was subject to the conditions that the majority of the local staff were in favour of the proposal, that the medical officer was personally interested, that no single officer was inoculated against his wish, that no charge for the treatment should be made, and that the vaccine should be fresh.

The Post Office is now examining reports from the selected districts which give particulars of the catarrhal sick leave taken during the experimental period and of the treated and non-treated officers. It expects to be in a position to report on the experiment in the autumn.

NOT TO CONDUCT FOR JEW

MISCHA ELMAN ON BERLIN WARNING.

Mischa Elman, the famous Russian violinist, announced at Buenos Aires, recently that his participation in an orchestral concert at the Colon Theatre, under the German conductor Herr Fritz Busch, had been cancelled on the ground that the conductor was unable to find time for rehearsals.

M. Elman states, however, that he had learned through private sources that Herr Busch had been warned from Berlin he would not be allowed to return to Germany if he conducted for a Jew. He added that he was unwilling to believe this, but the position was most satisfactory, and he had wasted much time in practising for the concert.

M. Elman further declared that though unable to play in Germany on account of his race, he loved the Germans, though the name of Hitler filled him with aversion.

LYNCHING FUED

BOY AND TWO MEN HANGED

A boy and two men were lynched in a village near Kovel, in Eastern Poland, as the result of a quarrel over pasture lands between two Ruthenian families.

A young boy in charge of a herd of cattle grazing on the disputed land was seized by the rival family and immediately hanged from a nearby tree.

The boy's parents and relatives succeeded in catching the two men they presumed must have murdered the boy, and they dragged them to the village market place.

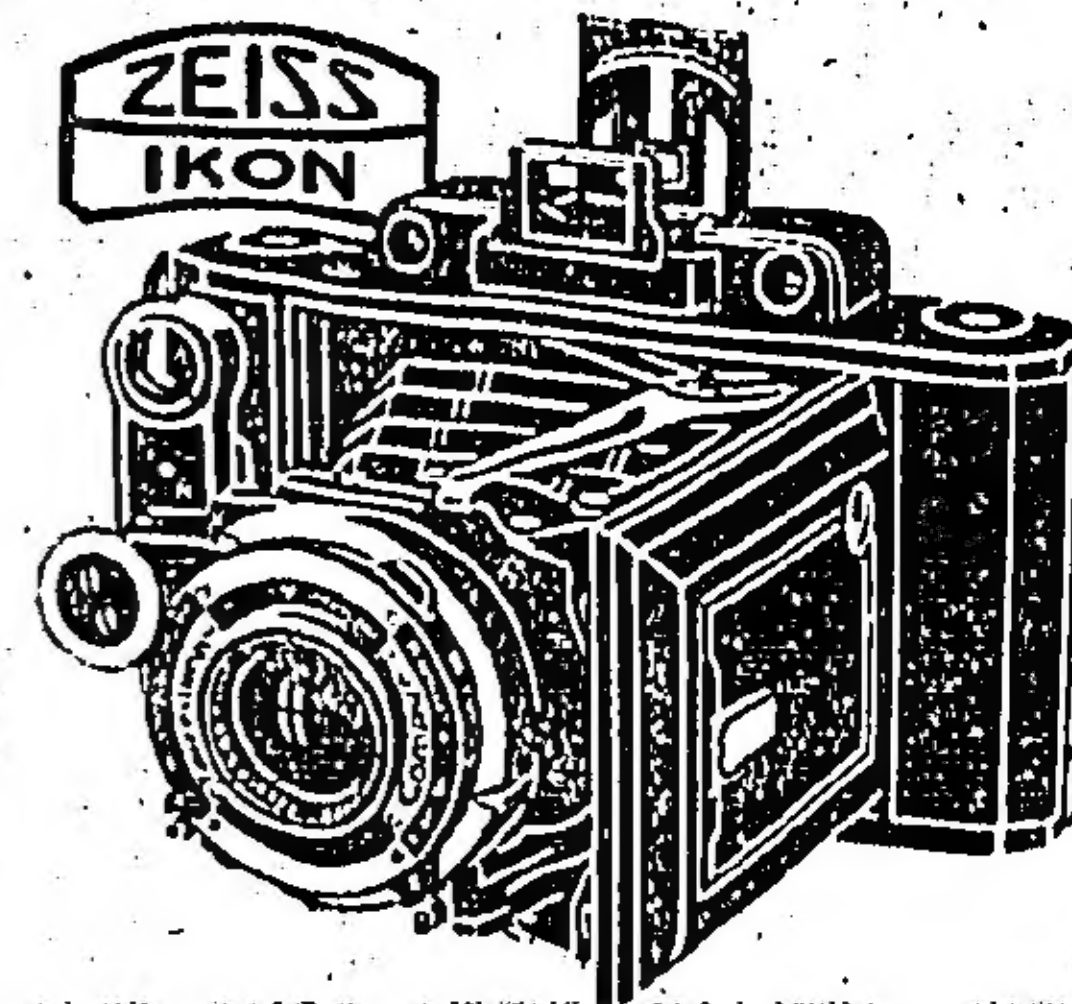
Kinsmen of the boy, armed with pitchforks, clubs, and hammers, gathered in the market place and hanged the two men, with calculated and deliberate slowness.

Police were dispatched from a nearby town, and the two families are now in prison.



A dramatic attempt to set a new stratosphere record unsuccessful, army balloonists are shown working heroically to save valuable scientific instruments after their huge bag slipped 60,000 feet above the earth. Capt. A. W. Stevens attacks the gondola of the ship with an axe to reach instruments within after it crashed in Nebraska.

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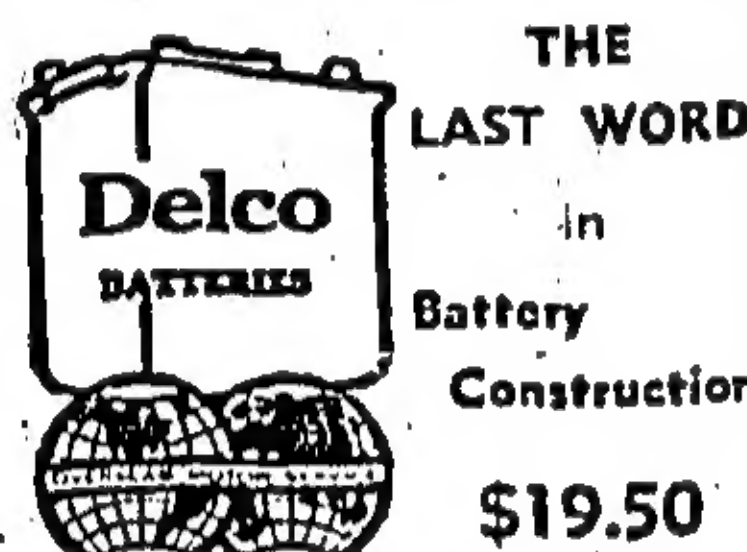
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Banks.
Hongkong Bank, \$1725 b and an.
H.K. Bank (Lon. Reg.), \$180 n.
Chartered Bank, \$163 n.
Mercantile Bank A. & B. \$31 n.
Overland Bank, \$13 1/2 n.
East Asia Bank, \$86 b.
Am. O. Finance Corp., \$h. \$20 n.
China O. Fin. Ord., \$h. \$4 n.
China O. Fin. Pref., \$h. \$5 n.

Insurance.
Canton Ins., \$290 n.
Union Ins., \$535 an.
China Underwriters, \$1.15 b.
China Fire, \$610 n.
H.K. Fire Ins., \$245 n.
Internat'l Assee., \$h. \$6 n.

Shipping.
Douglas, \$40 1/4 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.
Indo-China, (Prof.), \$30 n.
Indo-China, (Def.), \$38 n.
Shell's (Bearer), \$48 9 n.
Union Waterboats, \$13 1/4 n.

Mining.
Antamoks, 62 cts. b.
Balatoka, \$36 1/4 n.
Bagulo Gold, \$44 1/2 b.
Benguet, \$41 b.
Benguet Exploration, 17 1/2 cts.
Benguet Goldfield, 20 cts n.
Big Wedge, 12 cts. n.
Gold Creek, \$2 n.
Gold River, 24 cts. n.
Ipo Mining, \$2 1/2 n.
Hogons, \$6 n.

Land.
Kailan, \$47 n.
Langkats (Single), \$17 1/2 n.
Shai Explorations, \$h. \$5 n.
Shai Loans, \$h. \$6 1/2 n.
Raubas, \$13 n.

Docks, etc.
H.K. Wharves, \$112 n.
H.K. Docks, \$14 1/2 n.
Providents (old), \$1.55 n.
Providents (new), 60 cts. n.
Hongkows (old), \$h. \$312 1/2 n.
Hongkows (new), \$h. \$310 n.
New Engineering, \$h. \$42 1/2 n.
Shanghai Docks, \$h. \$118 n.

Cotton Mills.
Ewo Cottons, \$h. \$10.80 b.
Shai Cottons, (old), \$h. \$75 n.
Shai Cottons (new), \$h. \$44 n.
Zoung Sings, \$h. \$11 1/2 n.
Wing On Textiles, \$h. \$55 n.

Lands, Hotels, etc.
H. and S. Hotels, \$5.55 n.
H.K. Lands, \$50 b. and an.
Shai Lands, \$h. \$27 n.
Metropolitan Lands, \$h. \$14 n.
Humphreys, \$10 n.

Public Utilities.
Tramways, \$20.40 n.
Peak Trams (old), \$15 n.
Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.
Star Ferries, (old), \$100 n.
Yaumati Ferries, \$1 1/4 n.
Telephones (old), \$24 n.
Ch. Lights, (old), \$8.55 n.
Ch. Lights, (new), \$8.20 n.
H.K. Electric, \$73 n.

Miscellaneous.
Amusements, \$4 n.
H.K. Entertainments, 7 1/2 n.
S. C. Enterprises, \$1.80 n.
United Theatres, \$h. \$1 1/4 n.
Mackintoshes, \$21 n.
Sinceres, \$10 n.
Wm. Powells, 70 cts. n.
Wing On (H.K.) \$110 n.

Government Bonds.
H.K. Govt. 5% \$ Loan, 7 1/2 n.
(prem.)
H.K. Govt. 3 1/2 % \$ Loan, 2 1/2 n.
Wallace Harpers, 7 1/4 n.

Other Bonds.
H.K. Govt. 5% \$ Loan, 7 1/2 n.
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RUSSO-MANCHUKUO TREATY SIGNED

Tokyo, Sept. 5.
Representatives of Soviet Russia and Manchukuo signed the Russo-Manchukuo Waterways Treaty at Heiho to-day.

Japanese official circles are congratulating themselves that the signature of the treaty represents a *de facto* recognition of the new Manchurian regime.—United Press.

Industrial.

Malayan Sugars, \$11 n.
Cald. Macs. (old), \$h. \$21 n.
Cald. Macs. (Prof.), \$20 n.
Canton Ice, \$2.70 n.
Cement (com.), \$2.65 n.
H.K. Ropes, \$3 1/4 n.

Stores, etc.

Dairy Farms, \$25 1/2 n.
Watson, \$5.60 n.
Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Lane, Crawford, \$4.15 n.
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WATER LEVELS.

FOR WEST, NORTH AND EAST RIVERS

The River Conservancy Commission for Kwangtung Province notifies that the height of water in English feet in the West, North and East Rivers is as follows.

Sept. 4 Sept. 5
West River at Shihing 17.5 17.2
North River at Tsing-yuen 5.7 5.6
North River at Samshui 10.2 9.9
East River at Sheklung 3.6 3.0



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PARCELS FOR THE UNION OF SOUTH AFRICA.

The Post Office of the Union of South Africa complains that a number of parcels are reaching that country with their contents inadequately described on the Customs Declarations, and draws attention to the necessity for giving a full description of the contents if delay in delivery is to be avoided. It adds that the enclosure in a parcel of a copy of the relative invoice would be of great assistance.

VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

Straits	Bangalore	September 6.
Japan	Calcutta Maru	September 6.
Japan	Laomedon	September 6.
Saigon and Air Mail ex Marseilles		
Saigon Service	Shunchih	September 6.
Shanghai and Amoy	Taming	September 6.
Shanghai, Shanghai and Europe via		
Siberia (London, 10th August)	Corfu	September 7.
Japan and Shanghai	General Sherman	September 7.
Japan	Nagara Maru	September 7.
Manila	Pres. Coolidge	September 7.
U.S.A., Canada, Japan and Shanghai,		
(Seattle, 18th August)	Pres. Jackson	September 7.
Shanghai and Swatow	Sinkiang	September 7.
Shanghai	Tyndareus	September 7.
Straits	Diamond	September 8.
Japan	Lyons Maru	September 8.
Shanghai	Allport	September 8.
Saigon	Andre Lebon	September 9.
Straits and Air Mail ex Imperial		
Always Service	Hongkong	September 9.
Japan	Rakuyo Maru	September 9.
Japan	Tosama Maru	September 10.
Shanghai	Ajax	September 11.
Shanghai	Aramis	September 11.
Australia and Manila	Taipei	September 11.
Japan and Shanghai	Taiyo Maru	September 12.
Shanghai	Conte Rosso	September 13.
Japan	Sirdhana	September 13.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and		
Shanghai (San Francisco, 17th Aug.)	Pres. Harrison	September 14.

OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Swatow	Hydranga	Thurs., Sept. 6, 3 p.m.
Formosa	Ward	Thurs., Sept. 6, 3.30 p.m.
Saigon	Lyceoon	Thurs., Sept. 6, 3.30 p.m.
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai King	Thurs., Sept. 6, 4 p.m.
		Friday.
Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Kwangtung	Fri., Sept. 7, 1 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A.,	Emp. of Russia	Fri., Sept. 7.
Central and South America and		
*Europe via Vancouver B.C. and		
*Europe via Siberia	Parcels	Sept. 6, 5 p.m.
(Parcels for Canada only)	Reg.	Sept. 7, 9.15 a.m.
(Due Vancouver B.C., 24th Sept.)	Letters	Sept. 7, 10 a.m.
Calcutta via Straits	Chakrasang	Fri., Sept. 7.
Parcels	Sept. 7, 1 p.m.	
Letters	Sept. 7, 2 p.m.	
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Sept. 7, 2 p.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Mulnam	Fri., Sept. 7, 2.30 p.m.

Saturday.
Letters for "Bandong—Amsterdam Corfu" .. Sat., Sept. 8.
Air Mail Service.

K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Reg., .. Sept. 7, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., .. Sept. 7, 5 p.m.
Letters, .. Sept. 7, 5 p.m.	Letters, .. Sept. 8, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Pres. Coolidge	Sat., Sept. 8.
Central and South America, Canada and *Europe via San Francisco, and *Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 20th Sept.)	Parcels, .. Sept. 7, 5 p.m.
Manila	Reg., .. Sept. 8, 9.15 a.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, East and *South Africa, Adon, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles, (Due Marseilles, 5th October)	Letters, .. Sept. 8, 4.30 p.m.
	Sat., Sept. 8.

K.P.O.	G.P.O.
Parcels, .. Sept. 7, 4.30 p.m.	Parcels, .. Sept. 7, 5 p.m.
Reg., .. Sept. 8, 9 a.m.	Reg., .. Sept. 8, 9.45 a.m.
Letters, .. Sept. 8, 10 a.m.	Letters, .. Sept. 8, 10.30 a.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Andre Lebon .. Sat., Sept. 8, 5 p.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Kutsang .. Sat., Sept. 8.
Parcels, .. Sept. 8, 4 p.m.	Letters, .. Sept. 8, 6 p.m.

Sunday.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa .. Canton Maru .. Sun., Sept. 9, 9 a.m.
Foochow .. Taming .. Sun., Sept. 9, 9 a.m.

Monday.
Bangkok via Swatow .. Kalgan .. Mon., Sept. 10, 1.30 p.m.

Tuesday.
Batavia .. Tjilatjap .. Tues., Sept. 11, 9.30 a.m.

Mauritius, Reunion, Lourenco Mar-Tjilatjap .. Tues., Sept. 11, 9.30 a.m.

Queens and South Africa via Batavia (To connect with the s.s. "Tasman" at Batavia; leaving Batavia on 10th September)

Letters for "Saigon—Marseilles Air Aramis" .. Tues., Sept. 11, 9.30 a.m.

Mail Service.

K. P. O. G. P. O.
Reg., .. Sept. 11, 9.30 a.m. Reg., .. Sept. 11, 10 a.m.

Letters, .. Sept. 11, 9.30 a.m. Letters, .. Sept. 11, 10.30 a.m.

Saigon, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Aramis .. Tues., Sept. 11.

East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 9th October)

K. P. O. G. P. O.
Reg., .. Sept. 11, 10 a.m. Reg., .. Sept. 11, 10.45 a.m.

Letters, .. Sept. 11, 11 a.m. Letters, .. Sept. 11, 11.30 a.m.

Fort Bayard, Hoihow, Pakhoi and G. G. Paul Doumer .. Tues., Sept. 11, 1 p.m.

Haiphong .. Kaying .. Tues., Sept. 11, 1 p.m.

Bangkok via Hoihow .. Haiching .. Tues., Sept. 11, 2 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow .. Wednesday.

Japan, *Europe via Siberia and Rakuyo Maru .. Wed., Sept. 12, 10.30 a.m.

*South American Ports .. Tsinan .. Wed., Sept. 12, 3.30 p.m.

Amoy .. Thursday.

Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Conte Rosso .. Thurs., Sept. 13.

East and South Africa, Egypt and Europe via Brindisi (Due Brindisi, 4th October)

K. P. O. G. P. O.
Reg., .. Sept. 13, 1 p.m. Reg., .. Sept. 13, 1.15 p.m.

Letters, .. Sept. 13, 1 p.m. Letters, .. Sept. 13, 2 p.m.

Friday.
Sandakan .. Hsinang .. Fri., Sept. 14, 10.30 a.m.

Hoihow, Pakhoi and Haiphong .. Fochow .. Fri., Sept. 14, 1 p.m.

Haiphong .. Canton .. Fri., Sept. 14, 2 p.m.

Swatow, Amoy and Foochow .. Hai Ning .. Fri., Sept. 14, 3 p.m.

Manila .. Emp. of Japan Fri., Sept. 14, 3.30 p.m.

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CINEMA SCREENINGS

NOTES SUPPLIED BY THE THEATRES

Damon Runyon can boast of being the personal friend of every great figure in the American sports world. Many champions of 10-day were "found" by Runyon in his column, five ten or twelve years ago. For more than fifteen years the author of "Little Miss Marker", coming on Saturday to the King's Theatre, has written the lead stories of America's great sporting events—descriptive gems that are classics in his chosen field of newspaper work—and no other writer has demonstrated such keen knowledge and judgment in sizing up figures in the field of sports. Of his column, the editor was Jack Dempsey, and he has been Jack's friend and mentor for many years. Runyon's sport talks have long been recognized as the most authoritative, original and pertinent of their type. He has access to a thousand news sources that are closed to other sports writers and it is for this reason that his motion picture story "Little Miss Marker" has such a warm and human charm. Adolph Menjou, Dorothy Dell, Charles Bickford and five-year-old Shirley Temple head the cast of Runyon's latest story to reach the screen, "Little Miss Marker", a story of Broadway smart-money gamblers who lose their hearts to a little girl with two dimples and blonde curls.

"Man's Castle", Columbia film, having its initial showings to-day at the Queen's Theatre, is without doubt the most moving love story that has ever been made into a motion picture. Entrusted to the genius of Director Frank Borzage the new photoplay emerges on the screen as a powerfully emotional and compelling classic. "Man's Castle" is a story of love and the year. For sheer poignancy, for sentiment glossed over by reality, for a homely tale of a love that braves all obstacles—Borzage proves a master of them all. Sharing honours with the director for excellence in the picture are two stars, Spencer Tracy and Loretta Young, cast, respectively, as Bill, a homeless wanderer, and Trina, a starving waif whom he picks up on the street and takes to his ramshackle home on the dumps. Borzage's deft touches and the artistry with which these two players interpret their roles put into the production a pathos and moving force that sweeps the spectator along with it in its flood of emotional appeal. Bill, footloose and irresponsible, soon becomes restless under the restraint of living so long in one place. He has a yearning for money, for Trina, he does not love her and will leave her soon, he meets a rich and beautiful show girl who wants him for a playmate. But Bill is beginning to love Trina in a gruff way, he is a hard-headed, beat-up, but he is a good man. Trina tells him he is about to become a father. To get money to take care of her he attempts a robbery and fails. The affair is cleared up and Bill leaves aboard a freight car—headed for somewhere and with him is Trina. The supporting cast is exceptionally capable. Marjorie Rambeau, Arthur Hohl, Walter Connolly, Glenda Farrell and Dickie Moore all turn in performances so superb it is difficult to rate them in the order of their excellence.

"Come On, Marines", Richard Arlen, Ida Lupino, Roscoe Karns, Grace Bradley, Monte Blue, Fuzzy Knight and Toby Wing compose the leading players in "Come On, Marines", Paramount's fast-moving love story of a bunch of marines who are sour on bandits but sweet on blondes. It comes to the Oriental Theatre on Friday and Saturday. Lowered in rank and sent back to the tropical jungles after an evening ashore that ends in trouble, Richard Arlen goes back to fighting bandits with a vengeance. When word comes that a group of children, shipwrecked on the jungle coast, are in danger of a native uprising. But the "children" turn out to be grown-up young beauties, and the tough boys who were sour on bandits turn out to be sweet on blondes.

"Miss Fane's Baby Is Stolen", It took Spanky McFarland, five-year-old screen "veteran" with two years of camera experience, only five minutes to get acquainted with Paramount's little blond picture hero, Roy LeRoy. The tots met when Spanky joined the cast of "Miss Fane's Baby Is Stolen", the picture co-starring Dorisetta Wicke and Alice Brady, now at the King's Theatre. The introduction progressed so rapidly that the end of five minutes Spanky believed he was enough of a pal to appropriate LeRoy's tin horn. He did it and LeRoy howled a protest. Director Alexander Hall solved the problem by making a quick trip to the property department and returning with a new one for the baby. LeRoy plays the role of the son of Miss Fane, favourite movie actress, who is kidnapped by Jack LaRue and Alan Hale. The cry of torture and anguish that trips her heart is answered by the mothers of the world. With the nation's police authorities searching for the lost baby, it is left to a lonely woman, a mother of four children, to bring about the safe return of the kidnapped child. And the thrilling manner in which she outwits the kidnappers, almost at the price of her life, brings the picture to an exciting, entertaining ending.

"Bureau of Missing Persons", Romance, comedy, melodrama, and mystery in a most palatable dose are cleverly stirred together in the new First National production, "Bureau of Missing Persons", of make it one of the most entertaining and fastest moving pictures that has been shown at the Alhambra Theatre for some time. Opening to-day with a cast headed by Bette Davis, Lewis Stone and Pat O'Brien, the latter is

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LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

New York Cotton.		Sept. 4.	Sept. 5.
		Close	Closing
October	13.01	13.16-13.16	
December	13.14	13.28-13.30	
January	13.17	13.34-13.34	
March	13.30	13.39-13.39	
May	13.24	13.45-13.45	
July	13.30	13.61-13.61	
Spot	13.15	13.35	
New York Rubber:		Sept. 4.	Sept. 5.
		Close	Closing
October	15.64	15.91-15.91	
December	15.93	16.16-16.17	
January	16.04	16.29-16.29	
March	16.31	16.56-16.57	
May	16.57	16.84-16.84	
July	17.11	17.11-17.11	
Total Sales—279 lots,			
Chicago Wheat:		Sept. 4.	Sept. 5.
		Close	Closing
September	102 3/4	105 -104 1/4	
December	103 3/4	106 -106 1/4	
May	104 3/4	107 -107 1/4	
Tuesday's sales—19,840,000 bushels			
Chicago Corn:		Sept. 4.	Sept. 5.
		Close	Closing
September	78 3/4	79 1/4-79 1/4	
December	82 3/4	83 1/4-83 1/4	
May	87 3/4	88 3/4-88 3/4	
Total sales—11,390,000 bushels			
Winnipeg Wheat:		Sept. 4.	Sept. 5.
		Close	Closing
October	81 3/4	82 3/4-82 3/4	
December	82 3/4	83 3/4-83 3/4	
May	87 3/4	88 3/4-88 3/4	
New York Sugar:		Sept. 4.	Sept. 5.
		Close	Closing
September	1.80	1.91-1.91	
December	1.91	1.91-1.92	
March	1.92	1.91-1.92	
May	1.94	1.94-1.95	
Total sales—13,000 tons			

PITTMAN FOR NEVADA.

RE-NOMINATION APPEARS ALMOST CERTAIN

New York, Sept. 5. Senator Roy Pittman is now virtually certain of Democratic re-nomination for Nevada. "First reports show that he has a four to one majority in 130 precincts, over his opponent, Cooke. George Malone has a two to one majority in the Republican primaries,"—United Press.

One of the best characterizations he has ever given, the picture won its audience because of the novelty of story abounds in acting opportunities for such seasoned creators of character as Lewis Stone, who plays the Captain of the Bureau; Pat O'Brien, who plays the role of a self-styled "flatfoot," just transferred from the Robbery Squad; Hugh Herbert and Allen Jenkins as hard-boiled detectives in the bureau, who don't turn a hair at any of the tragedies that are a daily part of the bureau's routine. The real drama of the picture, however, centres around the mysterious and fascinating figure of Norma Phillips—played with feeling and conviction by Bette Davis—and who nearly turns the Missing Persons Bureau upside down and inside out in her effort to locate the only man in the world who can clear her of a charge of murder. Glenda Farrell, who has yet to give a bad performance, again carries off high honours with her snappy role as a bigamous wife. Pat O'Brien, as Butch Saunders, is detailed to work on her case and falls in love with her almost from their first meeting. But no true love's course ever ran rougher than does the experience of these two, before Norma and Butch finally get their man—with the shrewd assistance of Lewis Stone as Captain Webb. Director Roy Del Ruth has handled the numerous facets of his picture with skill, never losing pace or tempo for a single scene. Good performances—besides the actors already mentioned—are given by Alan Dinehart, Ruth Dornell, Marjorie Gateson, Noel Francis, Charles Sellon, Helena Phillips, Wallace Clark and Tad Alexander.

"Kind of the Wild Horses", "King of the Wild Horses", Columbia's picture which signals the return to the screen of Rex, the famous black stallion, not only is the first film to feature hundreds of wild horses since the talking pictures came in, but also marks the first time a movie microphone ever has been placed on an Indian reservation. "King of the Wild Horses," which is now showing at the Alhambra Theatre, features William Janney and Dorothy Appleby in the principal roles. Wallace MacDonald, Harry Semels, Ford West and Art Mix also appear in the production which was photographed on the Navajo Indian reservation, with the tribal ceremonial dances and chants, and the beating of tom-toms reaching the screen for the first time. The company made the entire film in the magnificent scenic setting around Kayenta and Monument Valley, Arizona. Approximately 1,000 Indians were used in "King of the Wild Horses," according to Earle Haley, the director. Haley is the owner of Rex, the horse characterized by Elinor Glyn as having "it," as well as Lady, the white mare, who is the heroine, and Marquis, the pinto villain horse, of the screen story. Haley is a former cowboy, who grew up in Flagstaff, Arizona, and entered pictures six years ago as a stunt rider. He has worked as assistant director to Victor Fleming, C. B. DeMille and Howard Hawks, being with the latter during the making of "Scarface." The horse picture represents his first directorial effort. Haley also wrote the story for "King of the Wild Horses," which was adapted by Fred M. Seltz, George B. Seltz supervised production.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Frits in conjunction with Reuters.

Chinese Bonds.		Sept. 4	Sept. 5
4 1/2% Bonds 1898 (Eng. Iss.)	£101 xd	£101 xd	
4 1/2% Loan 1908	£ 93	£ 93	
5% Loan 1908	£ 72 1/2	£ 72 1/2	
5% Recog. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)	£ 94 3/4	£ 94 3/4	
5% Bonds 1925-47	£ 88	£ 87 1/2	
5% S'hai-Nanking Rly.	£ 69 1/2	£ 69 1/2	
5% Tient-Pukow Rly.	£ 31	£ 31	
5% Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)	£ 23	£ 23	
5% S'hai-Heluw Ningpo Rly.	£100	£100	
5% Honan Rly.	£ 27	£ 27	
5% Hukwang Rly. 1911	£ 38 1/2	£ 38 1/2	
5% Lung Tsiang U. Hail Rly. 1913	£ 17 1/2	£ 17 1/2	
Foreign Bonds and Banks.			
German 7% Int. Loan 1924	48 3/4	48 3/4	
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1907	£ 74	£ 74 1/2	
Japan 5% Sterling Loan 1924	£ 85 1/2	£ 86	
H.K. & S'hai Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)	£135 3/4	£136	
Chartered Bk. 25 sh.	£ 15 1/2	£ 15 1/2	
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Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer)	24/6	24/6	
Tate & Lyle	91/-	91/-	
Courtauld	46/4 1/2	46/-	
Distillers	88/0	88/0	
Dunlop Rubber	48/0	48/7 1/2	
Eveready 5/- sh. General Electric (England)	46/3	46/4 1/2	
Buick	49/3	49/3	
Impl. Chem Ind.	39/7 1/2	39/0	
Impl. Chem Ind. Def. 10/- sh.	9/0	9/6	
Impl. Tobacco	129/3	129/3	
Woolworths	57/6	58/-	
Internat. Nickel no par val.	\$ 24 1/2	\$ 24 1/2	
Pinchin Johnson 10/- sh.	41/6	41/3	
Turner & Newall	45/0	45/0	
Unilever	22/0	23/-	
Miscellaneous.			
Anglo-Dutch	27/3	27/0	
Burma Corp. Rs. 10	12/0	12/0	
Canadian Pacific			
Charid. 10/- sh. (Bearer)	20/0	20/0	
Gula Kalumpung Rubber	24/-	24/-	
Tropica Mines	9/7 1/2	9/7 1/2	
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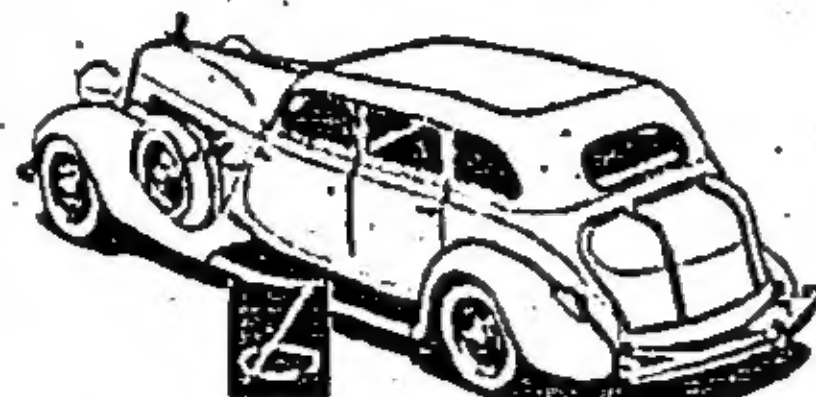
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THE ARMS RACKET

The munitions racket, which has left a trail of treason, greed and blood in its train, is at the moment undergoing a searching scrutiny in the United States. Already startling revelations have been made by witnesses before the Senate Committee, and before the inquiry is concluded we may expect to see the searchlight turned with dramatic

armament firms of the principal nations of the world. It is, of course, no new thing to learn that there is much interlocking between the big armament firms. Investigations made by the League of Nations have shown that these big munitions corporations have in the past actively fomented war scares, tried to bribe Governments officials, and disseminated false reports as to other nations' military and naval programmes in order to stimulate armament buying. But the U.S. Senate Committee presided over by Senator Nye is charged with the task of bringing the actual details into the full glare of publicity, in the hope that the revelations made will result in far-reaching international control of the arms traffic. There is to be the closest investigation into the financial and working arrangements between American corporations and the European arms industry. The facts that will be revealed are calculated to reflect very little credit on the big armament organisations. It has been disclosed in recent years that so-called patriotic societies have received large sums of money from the munitions interests, and that secrets of military and naval science have been made available to private corporations, whilst it is common knowledge that again and again soldiers have been shot down during wartime with guns and munitions the products of their own countries' armament firms. But it is not only in wartime that these dealers in weapons of destruction are active; in peace, also, they are known to engage in intrigue of all kinds, and to have divided the world into non-competitive spheres with the object of holding up prices. Peace-time profits are known to run into enormous figures, a fact which is hardly surprising when it is borne in mind that since the Great War the world has spent something like \$2,500,000,000 on arms and munitions. The American investigation is to be welcomed. If it results in an end being put to this traffic in arms for private profit, it will have been more than justified, and, what is more, will remove one of the causes of war.

NOTES OF THE DAY

PLEA FOR DEMOCRACY

However great the weaknesses of democracy may seem in a time of crisis, it is hard to escape the impression that most of the troubles of Europe to-day arise in large part because of the denial of democracy. Austria, even to-day swept by the repercussions of an assassination ominously similar to that of Franz Ferdinand 20 years ago, is simply an example. For the underlying cause of such disorders is the fact that ordinary democratic processes have been suspended. Racked and torn by the cross-currents of passion, resentment, and despair that have been in the making ever since the war, dictator-ruled peoples have no way of expressing themselves but with guns. Germany furnished an object lesson on June 30. Discontent with the way the Nazi policies were working out came to a head and demanded expression. No peaceful means of expression was possible.

ONLY RECOURSE

Men could not argue their cause, they could not agitate by means of newspapers and magazines, they could not look forward to a chance to use ballots. The machine gun and the revolver became their only recourse—and so, inevitably, the government had to use the same implements in replying to them. In Austria the same kind of thing happens. Instead of a political campaign, with speeches, pamphlets, advertisements, and so on, there must be a "putsch," with bombs, gunfire, assassination, and all the rest. There is no other outlet for discontent. One does not need to look at such tragic happenings very long to get a new realization of the inestimable value of democracy.

WORTH A LITTLE THOUGHT

Democracy has its weaknesses, but it does provide a safety valve for public discontent. It does make it possible for people to get rid of a government, a party, or a policy which they do not like, in peaceful and orderly way. It lets every man have his say about the state of affairs about him; it makes the appeal to force unnecessary. We need to keep this constantly in mind. There are people even in this Colony of benevolent autocracy, who profess an admiration for dictatorship—whether proletarian, Fascist, or whatnot—on the ground unwisely. The facts are worth a closer study.

DEPRESSION

Long after recovery from the depression has been completed the world will probably be arguing earnestly about what caused the recovery. Was it due to this, that, or the other specific measure adopted? Or did it come of itself? The argument has begun already. On one side you have the theory that the cyclical swing, from prosperity to depression and back again, has been steadily increasing in velocity for half a century, and that this time it carried world economy down so far that the whole social organisation would have collapsed if remedies had not been applied. On the other, there is the belief that the depression has differed little from its predecessors, and that on the road to recovery the world would have proceeded just as fast—if not, in fact, a little faster—if governments had kept their hands off entirely.

ITS CAUSE?

This latter viewpoint is expressed by Professor Neil Carothers, who says that the causes of a depression "spring from the system of capitalistic production, in which goods are made far in advance of the market by means of borrowed credit and invested funds. Depression comes when this credit-security-investment system of production becomes overstimulated." This, adds Prof. Carothers, is a system which inevitably rights itself. It never quite capsizes. But the only cure is that one remedy for all human ills—time.

AND THE CURE

The chief trouble with this theory seems to be its belief that human affairs are carried on in a vacuum. When an economist talks of producers, consumers, investors, and so on, he is not speaking of units in an academic chess game; he is speaking of human beings who have a naive way of getting angry when they lose their money and their jobs. A depression, like the present might right itself, if given plenty of time, but the people who are living through it are apt to tear the house down while they are waiting. Depending on time to effect a cure is like depending on time to relieve an attack of acute appendicitis; it may work—and, on the other hand, the patient may die. In a highly organised country, it is impossible to let nature take its course in an acute depression. The strain on the social fabric is too great.

EUROPE'S IRON RING OF ALLIANCES

By SISLEY HUDDLESTON

SOME time ago, a good deal of play was made with the ring of iron and concrete fortifications round France, but much more important is the ring of iron and concrete alliances that France, in conjunction with Russia, is erecting round the Europe of the peace treaties, the Europe of the status quo.

It is, of course, all done in the name of peace—a word that has been incredibly abused in recent years. The alliances are not, we are told, the old kind of alliances. Alliances are, by definition, defensive. No country, in these days, admits that its diplomatic combinations can possibly be directed against any other country. The other country can come into the combination if it chooses. But what could it do in such company? If the facts of the case make of it a potential adversary of the group? Its inclusion would be sheer hypocrisy. Inside, there would be an inner circle.

That is precisely the difficulty which the League of Nations has experienced. It nominally takes in all—but in reality there is, inside the League, the same struggle for control, the same divisions, the same antagonisms, as would exist outside the League. The universality of the Kellogg pact has likewise failed to prevent the preparation for war, and many people are beginning to think that the efficacy of an international contract is in inverse ratio to the number of its adherents.

Nothing is to be deprecated more than the tendency to find scapegoats among the nations, and I do not propose to fall into the folly of condemning Russia. But it is absurd not to look objectively at what is happening, and to try to understand whether these diplomatic moves, now being played off swiftly and boldly on the European chessboard, are really desirable. I cannot be suspected of any animus against the Soviet regime, since I was one of the very few writers who in 1919 vehemently opposed the plan of the Cordon Sanitaire, and who (despite my dislike of the Bolshevik doctrines) believed that ideas cannot be destroyed by force.

France has always had a penchant for Russia. The attraction is the attraction of mass. Russia is the biggest country in Europe. If it is on the French side, French military strength is greatly increased. Before 1914, the Franco-Russian alliance was one of the most formidable factors in Europe. The collapse of Russia, the disintegrating influence of Russia after the peace of Brest-Litovsk, made a renewal of the Franco-Russian alliance impossible for years. Yet France regretted the disappearance from its diplomatic calculations of the immense northern nation. Poland was a doubtful substitute. The Little Entente was excellent in a supplementary

manner, but nothing could adequately substitute for Russia. As soon as Europe began to settle down, and doctrinal prejudice wore thin, France reverted to its former conception.

Doctrines really matter very little, and never for long, in diplomacy. It may be that doctrinal create ambitions which are at variance, but in themselves national relations. Republican France and Tsarist Russia worked together. Why not a France still wedded to nineteenth-century democracy and a Russia which has adopted the twentieth-century notion of the subordination of the individual?

As for Communist Russia, it was at first suspicious of all bourgeois institutions and nations. But in a later period it realized that it had very much the same problems as the Tsarist Russia. Especially as the rivalry between it and Japan grew in intensity did it appreciate the need of allies in Europe. It is, huge as is its area and population, not so strong as it would wish to be. It cannot afford to have trouble in the East and in the West. Therefore, it must protect itself in Europe by a chain of alliances.

Besides, friendship with France meant much more than just friendship with France. France had already built up a ring of alliances by which Russia might benefit. France is directly allied to Belgium, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Rumania and Yugoslavia, and the eastern and southern countries are linked up with each other. If France cared to say in other words, Russia might make its peace with these nations. France did say the word, and together France and Russia have constructed a boulevard of Europe which extends from the Baltic to the Dardanelles. France, Russia, the Little Entente, and the Balkan Entente, which includes Turkey, already an ally of Russia, can dominate Europe.

A good deal of diplomatic work was done outside Geneva, but Geneva offered a wonderful platform from which the solidarity of the new combination of powers could be announced. It could be announced in the name of security, as a diplomatic measure which armament-makers would not like. The arguments in favour of security could be brought forward, and if collective action of a general character were refused, no one could blame the arrangements which nations believing themselves menaced might make among themselves. These arrangements were openly displayed. At a given moment the screen was thrown down, and Europe was exhibited as organized on the Franco-Russian-Little Entente-Balkan Entente pattern, with neutrals, and a number of countries which had aims incompatible with those of this immense diplomatic constellation, but without effective or sufficient power.

We have to reckon with this situation. It would be absurd to refuse to see the inwardness of the diplomatic deal based on the idea of mutual assistance. Does it make for peace? Immediately, perhaps, for it is difficult to see who can oppose it. But it certainly reintroduces into European (Continued on Page 7.)

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(By George)

THE great thing about these air races is the variety of records that are open to pilot. The machine pines off, say from Timbucoo aiming for a six days record speed attack on Singhai.

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But not! On the following day news comes that the pilot is way back at Timbucoo picking cheroots with his plane flying the ground. Expectation rises high. Obviously an apt on the slow record is being tried. Do you know if the plane has fallen into the sea on that lap where shall presume set up that kind of break? It's a plane is being neck-and-neck a plane is wing.

DURELLES LETTRES.

Diet Lowell.

THE PS HAVE IT.

Advice: Lovelorn Column

Dear Ed Lovelorn Column
ing often we out in the mean-
ing. Then, my boss notices
it. I say, "Diet, another pair
of stockings run." Do you
away with this. Frank
(red)



"Darn it, another pair of
stockings ruined!"

HOLIER THAN THOU!

Gristled Bros.

New York City

Gentlemen:

Just want to know why
Swiss cheese has all the holes
in when Limburger needs it so
badly?

A Curious Customer

(signed)

MY INTENTIONS ARE
HONOURABLE.

Messrs. Adler, Kelly, Kern and

Mann

The Four Yacht Club Boys

Gentlemen:

As former commodore of
the Baton Rouge Yacht Club, I
have four Commodore's outfits
which I would be willing to sell to
you. If you cannot afford to pay
for them all at one time, you can
pay on the instalment plan. I also
have two yachting caps, a set of
oars and some white socks which
I would let go. Please signify
your intention.

George L.

Baton Rouge, La.

SUBSTITUTE SOCKS.

Lane Bryant, Inc.

Queen's Road C.

Gentlemen:

I ordered two pairs of hose
at \$5.95. Please hurry order, as
I've had to put off my leave four
weeks now waiting for same.

Sincerely yours,

Clarissa Van S.

(signed)

SHAKE A LEG.

Miss Maude Skillman

Dear Maude:

I surely miss you here.
It is very nice to be revisiting the
haunts of my youth, but I have
only one regret. I miss so many
of the faces that I used to shake
hands with.

With love,

Herbert L.

(signed)

A GREAT SACRIFICE.

RKO Theatre

Wanchai

Manager dear:

I want to be your usher
in your lovely theatre. I am fair,
have a delightful pulse and am con-
sidered a beautiful man. Only I
have a few pimples. Will get rid
of them right away, for one will
sacrifice anything to gain his goal.
Reginald G.



"Just because we're outdoors, you needn't wolf your food like
a cave man."

ARSENAL AMONG FOURTEEN HOME TEAMS TO WIN

SOUNDLY BEAT BLACKBURN

NEWPORT SUFFER FIRST DEFEAT OF SEASON

GRIMSBY FALL AT SUNDERLAND

Arsenal's big guns were brought into full play yesterday, when the Woolwich team, pride of London, entertained Blackburn Rovers at Highbury and won by four clear goals. The Arsenal have now scored twelve goals in two matches on their own ground this season, sufficient indication that they will be almost unbeatable before their own supporters.

Home teams swept all before them in quite a big programme of first class matches. In the first division all five home teams secured the maximum points, this incurring the defeat of Huddersfield by Derby and Grimsby by Sunderland.

As a result Sunderland take the lead in the table, with one point dropped in four matches. Manchester City, among the leaders, came a cropper at Liverpool, the lively Merseysiders recording their second win of the season.

An interesting "argument" between Brentford and Fulham, on the former's ground, went in favour of Brentford, who managed to net the only goal of the match.

NEWPORT FALL

Sixteen teams were engaged in the southern section of the Third Division, which provided some interesting results.

Newport, previously holding a 100 per cent. record in three matches, fell by the wayside in visiting Bournemouth. The latter, at the time occupying the bottom position in the table, pulled off a surprise victory by three goals to one.

Reading were unsuccessful in their challenge to Bristol City, on the City's enclosure, losing by the only goal scored, but Exeter returned to best form to obliterate Northampton by three clear goals.

Queen's Park Rangers performed smartly in visiting Crystal Palace and winning by the odd goal in five, and Charlton gave further indication of their potentialities by taking points from Torquay on the Devonshire team's enclosure.

CHESTER ON TOP

In the northern section of the Third Division, Chester led into the lead with a very decisive victory over Hartlepool. This was Chester's fourth successive win of the season, and they take over the leadership of the division by virtue of a superior goal average.

Darlington, another home team, just pipped Gateshead by the odd goal in three.

Altogether 14 home clubs won yesterday, while two visiting teams annexed the full complement of points. There was not a single draw in a programme of sixteen matches.

FIRST DIVISION.

Arsenal	4	Blackburn	0
Derby	4	Huddersfield	1
Liverpool	2	Manchester C.	1
Portsmouth	1	Middlesbrough	0
Sunderland	3	Grimsby	0

League Table.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Sunderland	4	3	1	0	9	2	7
Wednesday	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Preston N.E.	4	3	0	1	15	6	6
Arsenal	3	2	1	0	15	4	5
Manchester C.	4	2	1	1	9	5	5
Everton	4	2	1	1	9	5	4
Derby	4	2	0	2	9	5	4
Stoke	4	2	0	2	13	9	4
Middlesbrough	4	1	2	1	5	4	4
Birmingham	4	2	0	2	5	4	4
Portsmouth	4	1	2	1	4	4	4
West Brom.	4	2	0	2	8	10	4
Aston Villa	4	2	0	2	0	12	4
Liverpool	4	1	1	2	3	4	3
Grimsby	4	1	1	2	3	4	3
Huddersfield	4	1	1	2	3	8	3
Leicester	4	1	1	2	8	8	3
Wolves	4	1	1	2	8	15	3
Tottenham	4	1	1	2	2	4	2
Chelsea	4	1	0	3	5	9	2
Blackburn	3	0	1	2	1	7	1

SECOND DIVISION.

Brentford		1 Fulham					
		League Table				Goals	
		P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.
Brentford	4	3	1	0	10	5	7
Holton	4	3	0	1	9	2	6
Burnley	4	3	0	1	10	4	6
Blackpool	4	3	0	1	11	3	6
Swansea	4	2	1	1	9	6	5
Barnsley	4	2	1	1	9	5	5
Port Vale	4	2	1	1	6	3	5
Fulham	4	2	1	1	5	3	4
Sheffield U.	4	2	0	1	6	3	4
Cardiff	4	2	0	1	6	3	4
Northwich	4	2	0	1	5	3	4
Notts County	4	1	1	2	4	7	3
Flymouth	4	3	1	1	7	5	3
Notts Forest	4	3	1	1	7	5	3
Manchester U.	3	1	0	2	6	0	2
West Ham	3	1	0	2	6	8	2
Bradford C.	3	1	0	2	4	7	2
Southampton	4	0	2	2	3	9	2
Oldham	4	0	2	2	6	13	2
Hull	2	0	2	2	5	8	0
Newcastle	3	0	0	3	4	14	0
Bury	3	0	0	3	2	11	0

THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH).

Aldershot	3	Southend	2
Swindon	2	Watford	1
Brighton	3	Newport	1
Bristol C.	1	Reading	0
Crystal P.	2	Queen's P.R.	0
Exeter	3	Northampton	0
Bristol R.	1	Bristol R.	0
Swindon	1	Charlton	2
Torquay	1	Charlton	2

League Table.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Coventry	4	4	0	0	9	0	8
Newport	4	3	0	1	10	4	6
Charlton	4	3	0	1	9	6	6

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

**Will dream these are
st Summers Frocks"**

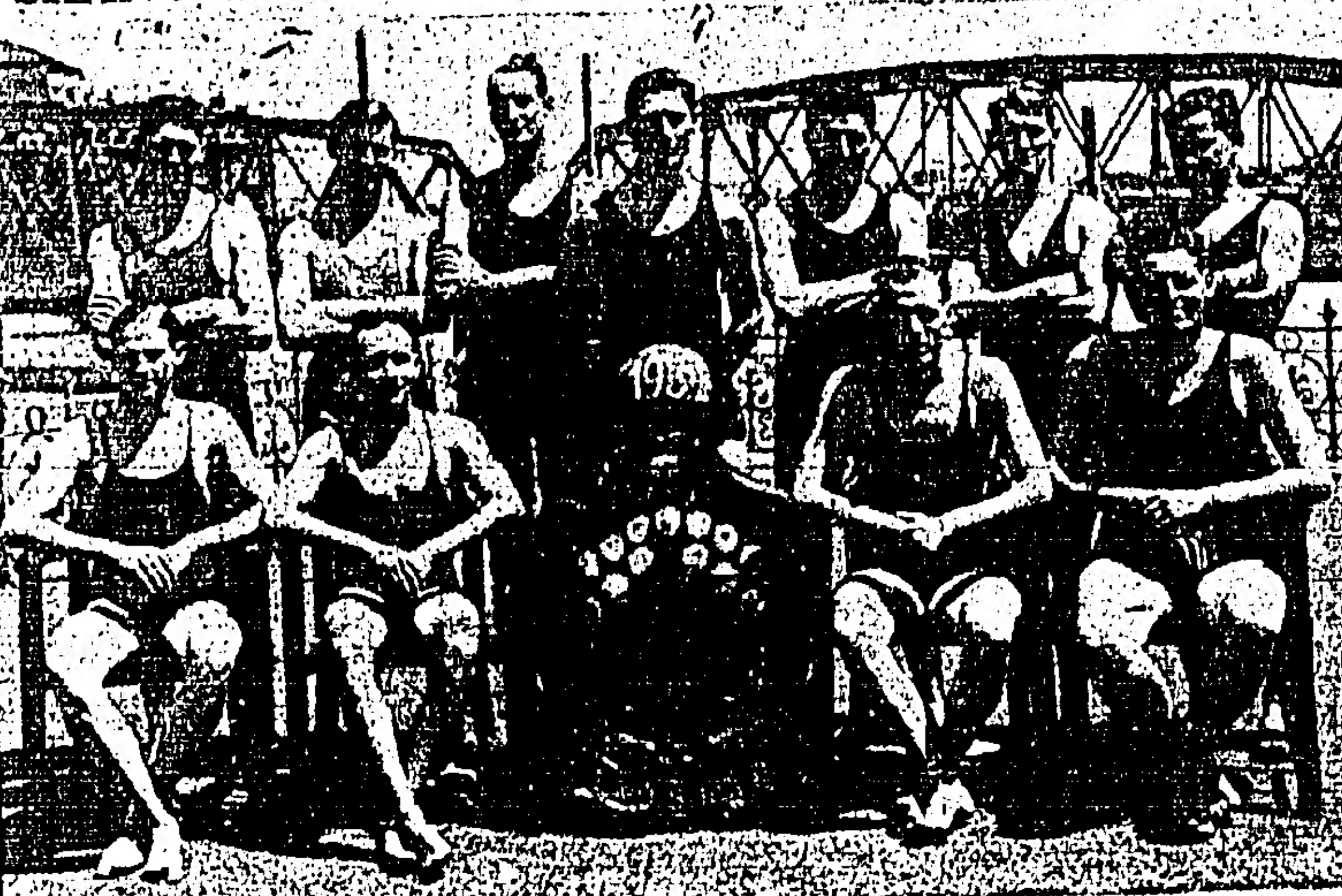


**WORN, PERHAPS—
SHABBY, NEVER !
WE DRYCLEAN**

League Table.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Chester	4	4	0	0	13	4	8
Lincoln	4	3	1	0	8	8	7
Tranmere	4	3	1	0	8	7	7
Barrow	4	2	2	0	5	2	6
Wrexham	4	2	2	0	7	3	6
Darlington	4	3	0	1	5	4	6
Stockport	4	2	1	1	7	5	5
Doncaster	4	2	1	1	9	7	5
Hull	4	2	1	1	6	5	5
Hartlepool	4	2	0	2	7	9	4
Gateshead	4	1	1	2	7	7	3
Chesterfield	4	1	1	2	4	6	3
Rotherham	4	0	2	2	6	9	2
Mansfield	4	1	0	3	0	11	2
Crowley	4	0	2	2	0	12	2
Carlisle	4	1	0	3	3	0	2
Bochdale	4	0	2	2	2	0	2
Southport	4	0	1	3	3	8	1
Walsall	4	0	0	4	3	1	0
Accrington	3	0	0	3	1	0	0

SHANGHAI WATER POLO LEAGUE CHAMPIONS



Rowing Club "A" Team, winners of the Shanghai senior water polo league championship this season. Standing, left to right—J. Rafen, Y. S. Turner, W. Vannewitz, W. Nagebauer, S. Godkin, A. C. More, L. Fabian. Sitting, N. Hammond, D. J. Raeburn, A. S. Sinclair, P. J. Klink.

INTERPORT SWIMMERS IN FORM AT NORTH POINT BEACH

MAGNIFICENT RACE OVER 400 METRES

ROZA PEREIRA CONCEDES 10 SECS. AND IS JUST BEATEN

CHINA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION GALA LAST NIGHT

Judicious handicapping resulted in a magnificent finish of the 400 Metres Free Style Exhibition by the Hongkong Interporters at the Swimming Gala held at the China Athletic Association last night.

Giving W. Campbell a start of ten seconds and A. A. Roza a start of seven, Lionel Roza Pereira, the Colony's long distance champion, was just pipped at the post by Roza, who swam a fine race throughout. Roza Pereira could not catch up with Roza, but passed Campbell in the last lap.

The Hongkong Interporters engaged the C.A.A. in an interesting water polo match, which resulted in a win for the former by five goals to two. The goalscorers for the Interporters were Fullagher (2), Roza, Campbell and C. E. Roza Pereira.

Results were: 50 Metres Free Style—1, Kwok Fung-sang; 2, Yeung Man-kit; 3, Ng Kwan-ping. 200 Metres Handicap for Children—1, Lau Po-yiu; 2, Chan Yuk-kin; 3, Lau Po-leung. Medley (Open to Colony)—1, Kwok Chun-hang (S. C. A.); 2, Chan Ki-chung (S. C. A.); 3, Chan Ho-fook (C. B. C.). 50 Metres Free Style (For Novice Swimmers)—1, Ma Yik-kwong; 2, Yung Pan; 3, Cheung Yat-seng. 100 Metres Handicap (For Girls)—1, Wong King-kam; 2, Chan Yuk-king; 3, Tso Yuk-kwai. 100 Metres Back Stroke—1, Yeung Man-kit; 2, Lam Yau-ting; 3, Yung Yoi-wai. 50 Metres (Members of Ambulance)—1, Cheng Ching-luen; 2, Fung Ying-sing; 3, Fung Yoi-wai.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Brighton	4	3	0	1	7	4	6
Swindon	4	2	1	1	7	5	5
Queen's P.R.	4	2	1	1	9	8	5
Reading	4	2	0	2	6	3	4
Millwall	4	2	0	2	4	5	4
Rushall	4	2	0	2	4	5	4
Crystal P.	4	1	2	1	13	9	4
Northampton	4	2	0	2	5	4	4
Cardiff	4	2	0	2	4	11	4
Luton	4	1	2	1	0	3	4
Exeter	4	2	0	2	0	7	4
Southend	4	3	1	0	2	4	6
Gillingham	4	2	0	2	4	7	2
Bristol R.	4	0	2	2	4	7	2
Clapton O.	4	1	0	3	3	9	2
Torquay	4	1	0	3	5	9	2
Aldershot	4	1	1	2	6	8	3
Bournemouth	4	1	1	2	4	9	3
Watford	4	0	0	4	3	9	0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

Chester	4	Hartlepool	1
Darlington	2	Gateshead	1

League Table.

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.A.	Pts.
Chester	4	4	0	0	13	8
Lincoln	4	3	1	0	8	7
Tranmere	4	3	1	0	8	7
Barrow	4	2	2	0	5	6
Wrexham	4	2	2	0	7	4
Darlington	4	3	0	1	5	6
Stockport	4	2	2	1	11	7
Now. Brighton	4	2	2	1	7	5
Doncaster	4	2	1	1	9	7
Halifax	4	2	1	1	8	5
Hartlepool	4	2	0	2	7	9
Gateshead	4	1	1	2	3	6
Chesterfield	4	1	1	2	3	6
York	4	1	1	2	2	5
Rotherham	4	0	2	2	6	9
Mansfield	4	1	0	3	6	11
Crawley	4	0	0	4	3	6
Grimsby	4	0	0	4	2	6
Carlisle	4	0	0	4	2	6
Reckless	4	0	1	3	4	12
Southport	4	0	1	3	3	8
Walsall	4	0	1	3	3	8
Accrington	3	0	0	3	1	9

lu-kwan (C.Y.M.C.A.): 2. Kwok T. ming (C.Y.M.C.A.): 3. A. Chan (Y.M.C.A.): Time 43 sec. 160 yards—Erce Szylo Relay (Two of four)—1. European Y.M.C.A. B. Wood, G. H. Fowler, E. F. Selkirk, H. G. Lango; 2. Chinese Y.M.C.A. N. Chan, H. L. Sim, Y. W. Yeung; Y. W. Lo). Time 1 min. 23-1/2.

HOME RACING

Lozingero Easily Wins

London, Sept. 10.

In the Derby Races, the Sept. candidate, Lozingero, ridden by Gordon Richards, won the Derby St. Leger by one and a half lengths. Lozingero, carrying top weight of 12 lbs., won easily from his opponents. His price was 1 for the race—Reuter.

Y.M.C.A. FUNCTION

Chinese Section Beats The European

At Bridge's Street last night, the Chinese Y.M.C.A. defeated the European Y.M.C.A. in a Swimming Meet by 27 points to 24. Some good swimming was shown during the evening, the Chinese winning the 220 Yards Free Style and the 100 Yards Free Style.

A return meeting will be held on Wednesday next at the European Y.M.C.A.

Results follow: 50 Yards Free Style—1, Lo Yuk-wing (C.Y.M.C.A.); 2, H. G. Lange (E.Y.M.C.A.); 3, Chan Lai-nam (C.Y.M.C.A.). Time: 28.4/5 secs. 100 Yards Medley Relay (Back Breast and Free Style)—1, Chinese Y.M.C.A. (Team: F. J. Anslow, W. F. Kerr and E. F. Selk). Time: 1 min. 16.3/5 secs. Long Plunge—1, W. Schroeder (E.Y.M.C.A.); 2, H. F. Lange (E.Y.M.C.A.); 3, Wong Shiu-chi. Distance 62 feet. Time: 1 min. 20.3/5 secs.

220 Yards Free Style—1, H. G. Lange (E.Y.M.C.A.); 2, Kwok Hong-ming (C.Y.M.C.A.); 3, Kwong Ki-foon (C.Y.M.C.A.). Time: 2 mins. 44 secs. 100 Yards Breast Stroke—1, Li Ping-tung (C.Y.M.C.A.); 2, Wong Shiu-hung (C.Y.M.C.A.); 3, R. B. Wood (E.Y.M.C.A.). Time: 1 min. 22.2/5 secs. Fancy Diving—1, E. F. Selk (E.Y.M.C.A.); 2, Cheung Yui-hung (C.Y.M.C.A.); 3, Cheung Yui-hung (C.Y.M.C.A.). 75 points. Fook-pui (C.Y.M.C.A.). 75 points. 100 Yards Free Style—1, H. G. Lange (E.Y.M.C.A.); 2, Yeung Yuk-wah (C.Y.M.C.A.); 3, Lo Yuk-wing (C.Y.M.C.A.). Time: 65.2/5 secs. 50 Yards Back Stroke—1, Yeung Lu-kwan (C.Y.M.C.A.); 2, Kwok Hong-ming (C.Y.M.C.A.); 3, J. J. Anslow (E.Y.M.C.A.). Time: 43 secs. 150 Yards Free Style Relay (Teams of four)—1, European Y.M.C.A. (R. B. Wood, G. H. Fowler, E. F. Selk and H. G. Lange); 2, Chinese Y.M.C.A. (L. N. Chan, H. L. Sim, Y. W. Yeung and Y. W. Lo). Time: 1 min. 20.3/5 secs.

HOME RACING

Lozinger Easily Wins

In the Derby Races, the 81. Leger candidate, Lozinger, ridden by Gordon Richards, won the Breeders' St. Leger by one and a half lengths. Lozinger, carrying top weight of 12 st. 11 lb., won easily from his three opponents. His price was 1 to 4 for the race.—*Reuter*.

CHINA EMPORIUM LTD.

The Chinese, strengthened by the return of Paul Kong, defeated the I.R.C. by 5½ sets to 3½ meeting with opposition from H. D. Rumjahn and J. A. Casanuboy, who won all three sets. The C.R.C. have thus won the "A" Division title three years in succession, and since their participation in the league have been champions on ten occasions.

PERRY IN THE THIRD ROUND

U.S. TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

ALLISON GIVEN A FRIGHT

MENZEL HARD PRESSED

Forest Hills, Sept. 5. Fred Perry, English defender of the American national singles tennis title, advanced to the third round of the championship to-day, when he overcame Martin Buxby, an American, in three straight sets.

There were no expected results during the day but Dr. E. H. McCaulliff of New York, a prominent tournament player, sent Wilmer Allison all the way to win after five sets. McCaulliff was trailing throughout, but he gave a very plucky display against a doughty opponent.

Roderick Menzel, the tall Czech was also severely extended by Ronald Longtin, well known Canadian player, who very nearly took a two sets lead at the start, but was pulled back, and finally lost in four sets.

Menzel dropped the first

HONGKONG BOWLERS DISAPPOINT IN INTERPORT

OMAR'S UNFORTUNATE EXPERIENCE

LOST FORM AGAINST SHANGHAI

COATES AND BASA PLAY WELL, BUT WINNERS TOO CONSISTENT

SMART WIN FOR HANKOW TEAM

Shanghai, Sept. 6. The Interport lawn bowls match was resumed to-day on the Police Recreation Club ground at Hongkew Park where Shanghai beat Hongkew by 22 shots to 15 after the scores had been 10-10 yesterday when rain caused an interruption of the match on the eleventh head.

Despite yesterday's heavy rain the green to-day was keen and on the first head of the resumption good woods were sent down by A. E. Coates and R. Basa (Hongkong) but J. E. Harvey (Shanghai) shifted the jack and the northerners scored two shots. Hongkong retaliated with a single on the thirteenth head and a three at the fourteenth, Basa, H. Beer and U. M. Omar laying the shots. Shanghai again went ahead by scoring one on the fifteenth and two on the sixteenth but Hongkong tied the scores at fifteen all at the seventeenth.

SHANGHAI SUPERIOR.

Shanghai's superiority was definite on the next four heads, scoring three, one, one and two to win by 22 shots to 15. The eighteenth head was a brilliant one at a critical stage of the game.

"Dick" Basa drew two beauties but E. B. Heaton-Smith upset the head and lay the shot; Harvey drew another. A heavy wood from Beer disturbed the head but Shanghai still lay two, Porter adding a third. Omar failed to save the count.

The Shanghai four were consistently good. Basa and Coates were Hongkong's best players. Omar and Beer were definitely off their game.

The teams and scores were:
Shanghai Hongkong
C. M. Sequeira A. E. Coates
E. B. Heaton-Smith R. Basa
J. E. Harvey H. Beer
C. W. Porter 22 U. M. Omar 15
—Reuter.

"DEFEAT OF A SKIP"

U. M. Omar Plays Weakest Game

Shanghai, Sept. 6. "The defeat of a skip" sums up Hongkong's defeat in the lawn bowls Interport, U. M. Omar playing the weakest game since his arrival. C. W. Porter, Shanghai's skip, played splendidly, as he has been doing splendidly since he arrived. He was lying five when Porter sent down a well judged heavy wood to give Shanghai a count of two.

From thence onwards Shanghai were in a moral ascendancy. The standard of the play in general was high with the exception of three of each team well matched. A. E. Coates was very sound while Basa was better than yesterday but Beer was mediocre. Omar was unable to do anything right.

In the subsequent friendly match against the Police, Hongkong, play-

WIN FOR HANKOW

Shanghai Beaten By Five Shots

Shanghai, Sept. 4. Hankow who were led by 10-0 by Shanghai in the other lawn bowls Interport match on the Police Green, won the contest to-day by 21 shots to 16. —Reuter.

How Hongkong Lost To South Africa

IN EMPIRE BOWLS MATCH

By J. E. Linney.

London, Aug. 14. After a rainy morning, the weather was again ideal for the bowls section in the British Empire Games, and there was a good attendance at the Temple and Paddington greens.

A slight breeze across the green at the Temple Club was not noticed enough by the players, who preferred the forehead from the Pavilion, and many wide woods were bowled. In one instance, the last end of the rink between Hongkong and South Africa, there were three South African woods wide, but Jack high, and the shot was in favour of Hongkong, thanks to a fine wood from the Hongkong third, who removed the South African shot from the jack. Hongkong wanted four shots, and their skip played firmly with his first wood, but was wide, and he rubbed the back of Holhausen's wood sending it to the jack for shot. Thoms played his second wood wide, and Nish, the Hongkong skip, played firmly on the jack, but instead of hitting it squarely on the face, caught it at the back and sent it sideways to the South Africans' two wide woods. There was a Hongkong wood between them and this scored, but the South Africans won by two shots.

RUMJAHN WINS

ENTERS BOWLS FINAL

KEEN GAME WITH CHAPMAN

D. Rumjahn, of the Craigengower C.C., qualified for the final of the Open Lawn Bowls Singles Championship yesterday when, on the Kowloon Bowling Green Club's green, he eliminated A. Chapman of the Yacht Club by 21 shots to 19 after 20 heads had been played.

One of the most outstanding features of what was a match of championship standard was the enforcement of the much discussed foot-fault rule against D. Rumjahn in the eighth head when the Craigengower player was being led by seven shots to three and his opponent was laying another three.

The match produced bowls of a high standard with both players revealing some good form. Chapman was steady throughout the match without being really brilliant except on some occasions when he sent down a couple of beautiful shots to claim the count. Rumjahn opened indifferent, although in the trial head he threatened to produce for which would have easily carried him into the final.

PLAYER FOOT-FAULTED.

However, after scoring a single on the first head he became erratic and mixed an occasional brilliant wood with some which were only mediocre. Chapman quickly jumped into the lead on the second head with a three and at the seventh he had scored seven shots to his opponent's three. On the eighth head Chapman was laying three when Rumjahn sent down his last wood. The bowler was instantly foot-faulted and the wood, which threatened to up-set the head, was stopped before it could interfere with the head.

The score was then 10-3 in favour of Chapman but on the next head Rumjahn with a perfect draw scored his fourth point only to see his opponent lead by 13-5 on the thirteenth head. Rumjahn had been playing a losing game up to this point but he staged a wonderful recovery and scored a two, a three, a two and a one to level the scores at 13-13 on the seventeenth head.

His two shots on the fourteenth head were dead on the jack while on the fifteenth head he twice carried the jack for his count of three. On the seventeenth head Rumjahn was laying three shots when Chapman was lucky to save two. In trying to draw to the jack Chapman bumped one of his own woods in for second shot.

RUMJAHN TAKES LEAD.

For the first time during the match Rumjahn took the lead on the twentieth head when he secured a single to make the score 15-14. However, his lead was short lived and a two on the next head gave Chapman his sixteenth shot. Rumjahn had trailed the jack but, using the wrong hand, he had carried it among Chapman's woods.

A three on the 22nd head gave Rumjahn the lead again by 18-16. Chapman was laying three shots when Rumjahn, with his third bowl scattered two of Chapman's woods and knocked the jack to one of his own.



Spencer Tracy and Loretta Young as they appear together in "A Man's Castle", now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

WIGHTMAN CUP PAIR WIN

ENGLISH PLAYERS IN GERMANY

DOUBLES TITLE SECURED

London, Aug. 13.

The German lawn tennis championships at Hamburg, although they brought disappointments to Great Britain in the singles defeat of Miss M. C. Scriven and C. R. D. Tuckey, have nevertheless yielded another honour to add to those of Wimbledon and the Davis Cup. Miss E. M. Dearman and Miss N. M. Lyle, the Wightman Cup doubles players, added their names to the list of those of the five other British pairs who have won the German women's doubles title since the championships were started in 1925.

Oddly enough, local opinion favoured the chance of Mlle. I. Adamoff and Mlle. R. Couquerque, their opponents in the final, for the strange reason that they had beaten Miss Scriven and Miss R. M. Hardwick, but Miss Lyle and Miss Dearman must have supplied a strong corrective when they won easily by 6-4, 6-2. Miss Dearman's volleying was particularly crisp and decisive, and the pair implemented their claim to be considered one of the best Great Britain has had.

Tuckey and Miss Scriven were beaten in the final of the mixed by G. von Cramm and Frau Sperling by 6-2, 6-4. The winners, besides gaining this title for the third year running, had also won the singles, von Cramm from C. L. Burwell by 6-2, 6-1, 6-4, and Frau Sperling from Fri. Aussem by 6-2, 6-3. Both were singles winners last year. E. Maler and A. K. Quist won the men's doubles. —Reuter Special.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul acknowledges with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of \$20 donation to the Society's Funds from the Portuguese Staff of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation in memory of the late Mr. J. T. Victor.

With his last wood Chapman bumped one of Rumjahn's into the jack and then the Craigengower player drew a third.

When Rumjahn scored a two on the next head the match seemed to be all over but Chapman made a gallant effort to retrieve the situation. He prolonged the game until the 26th head when he was beaten by 21-19.

TO-DAY'S SEMI-FINAL

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The fault is not altogether with the public. Indifference may be traced in some cases to insufficient publicity and in others to exorbitant prices of admission. A Derby correspondent has written rather emphatically on this subject. He has just spent a holiday in London with his wife and daughter and all three, being keen enthusiasts, fixed their holiday so as to take in the Empire and the Women's Games.

His experience on the opening day of the Women's Games is rather illuminating. There were certain events staged at ten o'clock in the morning and, being an enthusiast, he went as early as this to the White City. He paid 1s. 3d. and was informed that he could go anywhere and, as there were only about a dozen of the general public present, he got a very good seat. At lunch-time he "passed out," only to find on his return that his original seat had jumped in price to 5s.

If he had stayed in the Stadium he would of course, have been able to retain his seat without the increased fee, which I regard as a piece of shameful extortion. Something of the same sort of imposition was carried out on Bank Holiday, when half a crown was charged for places which had been priced at half that amount on the opening day of the Empire Games.

Somebody with a wider vision and an enterprise that understands the public point of view is sadly needed in athletics. I should like to see somebody run a big meeting at a common price, say, of 1s. 3d., with perhaps, 10 per cent. of the seating at 5s. for those who desire to be a little exclusive and do not mind paying for it. Jeff Dickson, too, has sensed the value of cheap seats and



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Mr. Tan has now concentrated his attention on aircraft engineering and is at present doing the two years engineering course at the Far East Flying Training School in Hongkong. On completion of the course, Mr. Tan will sit for the Government examinations for the aircraft engineers licences before returning to Malaya.

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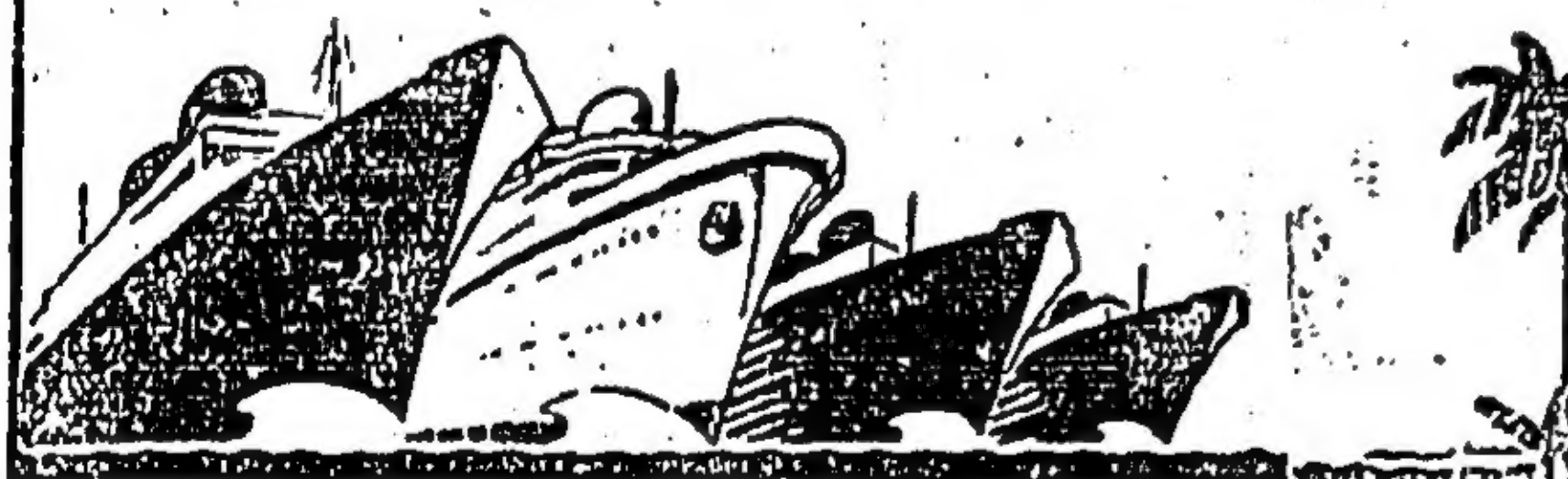
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THE PAWNSHOP MONOPOLY

CHINESE CHAMBER OPPOSES

Strong opposition to the pawnshop monopoly scheme was raised at the monthly meeting of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce yesterday afternoon, when there was a record attendance, showing the keen interest of traders over the monopoly proposal. The Chairman, Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, was supported by Mr. Li Sing-kui, the vice-Chairman, and the Secretary, Mr. Chan Ping-nu. After a lengthy discussion, in which members expressed unanimous objection to the monopoly and after representatives from pawnshops and second-hand-goods firms had given their opinions, the Chairman invited members to put the motion. On the suggestion of Mr. Wong Ping-sun, seconded by Mr. Leung Lu-cho, the meeting voted without a single dissenter, that the Chamber should write to the Government against the granting of a pawnshop monopoly, and supporting the pawnshop owners' recent similar petition to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

Mr. Li Yau-tsun's Views.

Mr. Li Yau-tsun, C.N.E., a former Chairman of the Chamber and the Chamber's present adviser, was invited to speak on the subject by Mr. Wong Kwong-tin, who emphasised Mr. Li's high qualification and his thorough understanding of local trade conditions. Mr. Li Yau-tsun explained that the monopoly, if granted, would not only affect all pawnshops, some of which had been in business forty years but existing employees would most certainly be thrown out of work. As far as Mr. Li knew some of these employees were men over fifty and in some cases men over seventy years of age. It would be most unjust to deprive these long service employees of their only means of earning.

The argument that through a monopoly the Government would get a higher tax per annum was irrelevant, according to Mr. Li's calculation, because when the number of pawnshops was reduced from the existing 81 firms to about 40 firms, many shops now occupied by pawnshops would be vacant in some of the business centres. Some of these firms paid as high as \$700 or between \$650 to \$500 per annum to the Government on the shop's assessment rate. When these premises were not occupied the Government's loss would be considerable.

Comparison With Canton.

Monopolies and farming of taxes were granted by the Canton Government and Mr. Li estimated that over 100 kinds of monopolies of some form operated in the neighbouring city, but so far there has been no granting of a pawnshop monopoly there. This was because it was generally considered that the interest of the poor class might be better served by pawnshops under the present competitive system. Mr. Li Yau-tsun said that under a changed system of employment, when the power to select employees rested in the hands of one employment agency in the monopoly, a drastic cut in the wages of employees was much feared.

Mr. Li concluded with the remark that there was no hope of an understanding for co-operation between pawnshop owners and the promoters of the monopoly. He had been told by Sir Shou-sun Chow the other day that the monopoly promoters had unofficially sought the views of the Government on the possibility of a monopoly for Hongkong and he, Sir Shou-sun Chow believed that such a monopoly might be granted if the promoters could find an understanding for co-operation with the existing pawnshop owners.

Shop Owners' View.

Reiterating recently expressed opinions against the monopoly Mr.



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Chow Chi-hing, who represented the pawnshop owners present to speak, said that it was a great disappointment that two Chinese gentlemen, who were recently appointed by the Government to devise means to revive trade in the Colony should interest themselves in a monopoly which was admitted by the business community to be a deterrent factor to trade and commercial stability. If monopolies were encouraged it would check future investment in most lines, which might at any moment be attacked by monopoly promoters.

The motion against the monopoly was passed without any criticism. The Secretary told the meeting that Mr. Li Hol-tung had written to say that he was unable to attend. Mr. Li's letter also informed the Chamber that Mr. Li Koon-chun was unable to be present because he had to attend a meeting of the Trade Commission. Mr. Li Hol-tung said in his letter that he preferred to wait for the Government's decision towards the monopoly before expressing himself.

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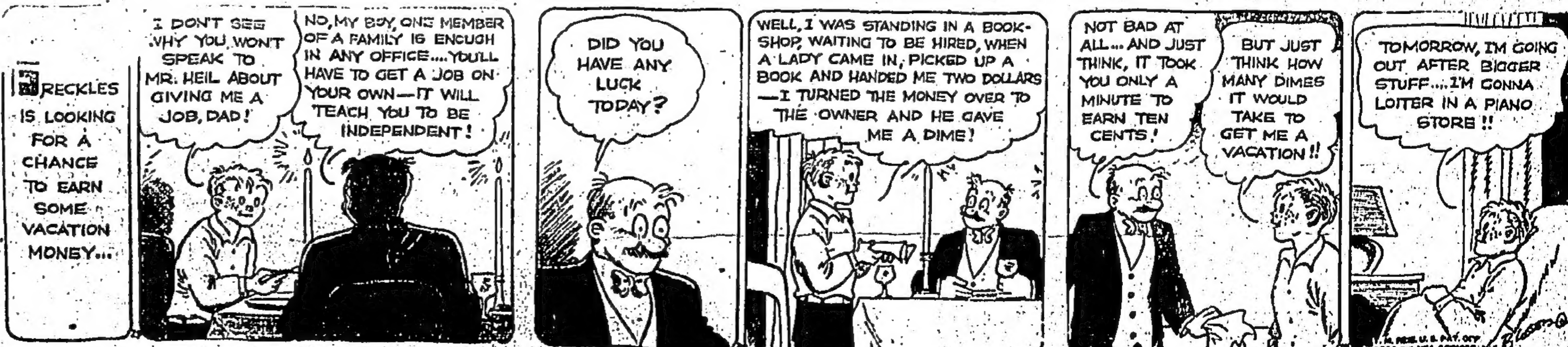
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ARMED ROBBERY

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Lower Court proceedings against Wong Sam-hong, a Shanghai Chinaman, on a charge of armed robbery at No. 74 Chun Yung Street, North Point, on July 7, were commenced before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon. Outlining the police case, Detective Sergeant Fitch said that the complainant, Sum Cheung-fung, was a storekeeper at the Arts and Crafts godown, North Point, receiving \$110 a month as wages. He had been in Hongkong for the past three years, and previous to that in Shanghai. He was a Christian and a very respectable man. Sum lived on the second floor of No. 79 Chun Yung Street, North Point, with his wife, four children and his mother-in-law. On the afternoon of July 7, at about 2.30 p.m., the complainant and his family had just finished their meal, and the amah was clearing away the dishes, when a knock was heard at the door. Sum went to the door, and looked through the peephole. He saw two Shanghai men standing outside, and recognised them as former workmen in his company. They asked him to open the door, which he did, and invited them inside. Two other Shanghai men followed, and Sum invited them all to sit down on the verandah.

Suspicious Aroused.

The visitors then commenced to talk about business, and tea and cigarettes were given them by Sum. After a while Sum got rather concerned about their presence, and tried to make up to them by pretending he would get them jobs. He suspected they were going to commit a crime.

Suddenly, two of the men produced automatics and pointed them at Sum. They asked him to get into the floor, and inside there they held up the other inmates. While Sum was being guarded, the other men, who were not armed, searched the boxes and drawers, which were opened by complainant's wife on his instructions. Complainant asked the robbers to take all they wanted, but not to frighten the children. The robbers took money and jewellery to the value of \$125.30. They were about to bind up the inmates, when Sum and his wife pleaded with them not to frighten the children, and the robbers desisted. The inmates were forced into the kitchen, and threatened that if they made a report to the Police before three days, the complainant would be shot.

Frightened to Leave Floor.

After the robbers had gone, Sum and his family remained for some

TRADE AGREEMENT

INDO-JAPANESE PACT FINALLY SIGNED

Tokyo, Sept. 5.
The Privy Council to-day finally gave its approval to the new Indo-Japanese trade treaty, which, among other things, settles the quota question in respect to cotton goods imported from Japan by India.

It will be recalled that the conferences at New Delhi last year, the Japanese and India delegates, after prolonged discussion, agreed upon fifty per cent ad valorem tariff on most cotton goods from Japan and specific duties upon other textiles. Imperial preference features were included in the draft agreement drawn up there, in spite of opposition from Osaka mill owners.

The New Delhi conference was a continuation of the discussions of a more informal nature at Simla, and the resulting agreement of the delegates was hailed as a notable step in commercial diplomacy.—United Press.

time in the kitchen, and no member of the family left the floor that day, as they were afraid to go out. The following morning, complainant's wife went out to buy vegetables, and returned, having seen no one in the street. Sum unknown to his wife, decided to make a report and accordingly went to the Bay View Police station shortly afterwards.

Enquiries were then commenced, and on July 10 detective sergeant Lo Kwong arrested the defendant in Spring Garden Lane. Defendant made a statement at the station, in which he admitted having taken part in the robbery. He was placed on an identification parade, and was picked out by complainant's wife, who said he was one of the men who were unarmed. The property stolen was recovered, and the four other robbers, including a man who remained on guard outside, were not arrested. Another man had been scheduled for banishment for instigating the robbery and providing the guns.

Defendant had been an honest man as far as was known to the Police, but had got into bad company, and was really duped into taking part in the robbery. He only received about \$0.20 out of the robbery.

Evidence of the complainant and his wife were then taken, and the hearing was adjourned until this morning.

WATCHMAN'S DEATH.

CHINA BUILDING TRAGEDY RECALLED AT INQUEST

The circumstances attending the tragic death of Ng Yiu, a watchman employed at China Building, who died on August 14, were investigated by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen sitting as Coroner, assisted by Messrs. A. A. Alves (foreman), Ma Wing-fat and S. M. Rumbhah, as the jury, at the Central Magistracy yesterday afternoon.

The Coroner explained that the man was found dead between the first and mezzanine floors of the China Building, as a result of either throwing himself down from one of the upper floors or through a fall. Dr. Fringie would not be able to give evidence as his evidence would be that the man died from multiple injuries. He would have to hear the evidence of the post mortem examination which would be given later.

Wu Fun, the widow, stated that her husband's salary was \$20 a month, of which he gave her \$17 for the household. They lived at No. 50 Staunton Street and had two children. They also remitted \$5 to her mother-in-law in the country. She did not know if he was in financial difficulties. In the fourth month this year he complained of a pain in the region of the heart but got rid of it with medicine. There was nothing unusual in his behaviour towards the children and he had not punished them recently. "I have never heard him threaten to commit suicide," she concluded.

"Saw A Flash."

The next witness, Mr. Lewis, Edwin Sotherton, transport contractor, with offices on the first floor of China Building, stated that just about 9 a.m. he saw something flash past his window. "I jumped back from my seat at my desk," he said. "It was merely the vision of a black shape. The hands and legs were outspread. I heard a crash. I looked through the bars of my window, and saw the body lying on the roof of the out-house. I went next door and telephoned Central Charge Room, advising them of the accident."

Yuen Sin, a watchman employed at China Building, stated that the deceased fell from the roof of the out-house at 9 a.m. on the seventh floor. He did not seem to be in trouble when he came on duty. His hours of duty were from 6 a.m. to 10 a.m. and his watch included the whole building. The railings of the balconies on the different floors were three feet high.

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FILMLAND NEWS

Margaret Sullivan. Films in New List

AMBITIOUS LINE-UP

Carl Laemmle has announced, on behalf of Universal, a schedule of 42 productions for next season. Last year the sum of two million dollars was added to the customary budget. This year the additional amount has been increased by one more million.

"This enlarged schedule of features, the expensive novels, and plays that it include, the 20 stars and featured players, the experienced directors, and the money which is in hand to produce this ambitious programme," said an official, in announcing the list, "is an evidence of the faith that Carl Laemmle has in the solid recovery from depression. It is an indication of his belief that the market not only will absorb this enlarged programme, but that it demands it."

Among the leading pictures announced are "Show Boat," with a new treatment; "Sutter's Gold," two productions starring Margaret Sullivan; "The Godi Fairy," "Within This Present," "The Great Ziegfeld" (adaptation of the life of the great showman, starring William Powell); two of Dickens's novels, "Great Expectations" and "The Mystery of Edwin Drood"; "Princess O'Hara," "Ransom, One Million Dollars," "Night Life of the Gods," "Magnificent Obsession," "The Bride of Frankenstein" (a sequel to the former horror picture), "Strange Wives," "The Raven," (by Edgar Allan Poe), "Zest," "The Man Who Reclaimed His Head," "Transient Lady," "It Happened in New York," "Fanny," "Cheating Cheaters," "A Cup of Coffee," "Gift of Gab" (starring Edmund Lowe and Gloria Stuart), "The Human Side" (with Adolph Menjou and Doris Kenyon), and several adventure pictures starring Buck Jones.

Among the directors who will produce pictures for Universal next season are John M. Stahl, James Whale, Lowell Sherman, William Wyler, Stuart Walker, Richard Thorpe, and Eddie Buzzell.

Among the stars who have been signed up for one or two Universal productions are Margaret Sullivan, William Powell, Edmund Lowe, Sally Eilers, Chester Morris, Paul Lukas, Polly Waters, Roger Pryor, Douglas Montgomery, Heather Angel, Russ Colombo, Gloria Stuart, Boris Karloff, Buck Jones, Binnie Barnes, Slim Summerville, Zasu Pitts, Frank Lawton, June Knight, Victor Moore, Lella Hyams, Onslow Stevens, and Alice White.

NEW VIEW OF HOLLYWOOD.

William Gargan, the well-known Hollywood player, who is in Britain to make "Schooldays" with Cicely Courtneidge, gives a new insight on Hollywood life.

"So far from being the gayest, wickedest city under the sun," he said in an interview, "Hollywood is the dulllest at least, from the point of view of night-life. There are a couple of nightclubs, and one or two restaurants and hotels hold dances, but there really is nothing to do away from home at night. As a stage-actor fresh from New York, where one dances, sups, makes merry until 2 a.m. after the show, I found my first six months of 'early-to-bed' life in Hollywood—and most of Hollywood is in bed by ten—insufferably dull.

"But, after a while, the place gets hold of you. Now, after two years, I'd hate to live anywhere else. This is chiefly, I think, on account of the splendidly open-air life one can lead. Riding, golf, aviation, surf-bathing, speedboat racing, every kind of sport can be enjoyed within a few minutes' drive in a car, and cheaply, too. Polo, for example, which is, I understand, the most exclusive and expensive game in Europe is a popular craze out West. It's played by all sorts and conditions of people."

BRITISH STAR'S REPORTED ROMANCE.

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Nut and Date Sandwiches:—Chop up a cupful of nuts and dates. Add a little lemon juice and place between brown bread and butter.

Merle Oberon, the 23-year-old British film actress who became famous as Anne Boleyn in "The Private Life of Henry VIII," and who stars with Douglas Fairbanks in "Don Juan," and Mr. Joseph M. Schenck, president of United Artists Film Corporation.

Friends say that they have either already married at Monte Carlo or are about to do so.

Mr. Schenck was formerly the husband of Norma Talmadge. They were divorced in April this year.

DIRECTOR'S PROGRESS.

Robert J. Flaherty, the director of "Man of Aran," is making a pretty recovery from the operation which he underwent recently.

He became ill while a guest at the Royal garden party in the grounds of Buckingham Palace, and was operated upon the same night. Within 36 hours he had insisted on the installation of a telephone by his bedside, and was in communication with the studio on matters concerning his next film, and the exploitation of "Man of Aran."

USING BRITISH SCENERY.

One of the chief criticisms of British films has been the lack of exterior, and the amount of British picture which have used natural locations for their outdoor sequences has been negligible.

Five current British International pictures, it is stated, all contain a large percentage of work filmed in the natural English back-grounds.

Devonshire, Maidenhead, the East Coast of England, and various large towns have all been tapped for atmosphere.

ARLISS'S BRITISH FILM.

A start has been made at the Shepherd's Bush studios on the

DOLORES DEAD

Model Who Posed for Epstein

LIFE OF LUXURY AND POVERTY

Dolores, Epstein's famous model, has died in a London nursing home at the age of 40. She was a victim of cancer.

Over a year ago she knew that she was suffering from cancer and could never recover. She disappeared from her old haunts, underwent two operations, and was told last October that the end was only a matter of months.

As dancer, actress, and model she had lived in that Bohemia, which is almost a country of the past, tasting of popularity and fame and sinking in her later days to poverty and distress, and more than once living in a garret.

Once the toast of the West End, Dolores, not long before she fell ill, had been seeking a living in a Tottenham Court Road Fun Fair, sitting in a barrel for weeks on end; and, on another occasion, posing, half-dressed, as "Eve; or Eat More Fruit."

She stated once that she was born in Doughty Street, Bloomsbury, and as a child went to Tiller's dancing school, afterwards appearing in various shows for John Tiller as a juvenile.

MARRIED THREE TIMES.

Her real name was Norina Lattimore. She had been three times married; and, when married to Mr. George William Lattimore, an American theatrical and film producer, in 1926, she was described as the daughter of a medical practitioner and as the divorced wife of Richard Harry Farwell Peckover Sadler.

When she was fined in November 1931 for failing to notify her address as an alien—having married an American—she declared that her husband deserted her within two months of the marriage. "The marriage has completely ruined me both socially and from an artistic point of view," she added.

A 20-year-old artist, termed a genius by many who knew him, committed suicide because of Dolores. He was Frederick Atkinson, the self-taught son of a Rotherham (Yorkshire) miner.

He met Dolores in London, fell in love with her—"calf love," Dolores called it—bought her jewellery and gave expensive dinners, until his money was gone.

He was then found dead in his studio in Maida Hill, poisoned.

Dolores afterwards declared that, on the last occasion on which she saw him alive, Atkinson kissed her good-bye, and they parted the best of friends.

Dolores strenuously denied that she had willingly been the cause of Atkinson's death.

HOW SHE MET EPSTEIN.

This is the story of how Dolores met Epstein, the famous sculptor.

In 1920 she was sitting in the Cafe Royal, London, when Epstein rose from an adjoining table, crossed to her, took her hands and asked, "Will you be my model?"

Dolores smiled, and answered, "Yes, I will."

Within a week she joined the Epstein household, and posed for him daily; and the fame she had won previously as a dancer was soon surpassed.

She has told how she used to sleep at the foot of the bust the sculptor did of her.

Dolores made more than one brave but unsuccessful attempt to live down the tragedies that beset her closing year, but the struggle was too much for her.

work in connection with the "Iron Duke," the first of the three films which George Arliss is making for Gaumont British. The director, Victor Saville, and George Arliss are now occupied with rehearsals with the cast, which is nearly complete.

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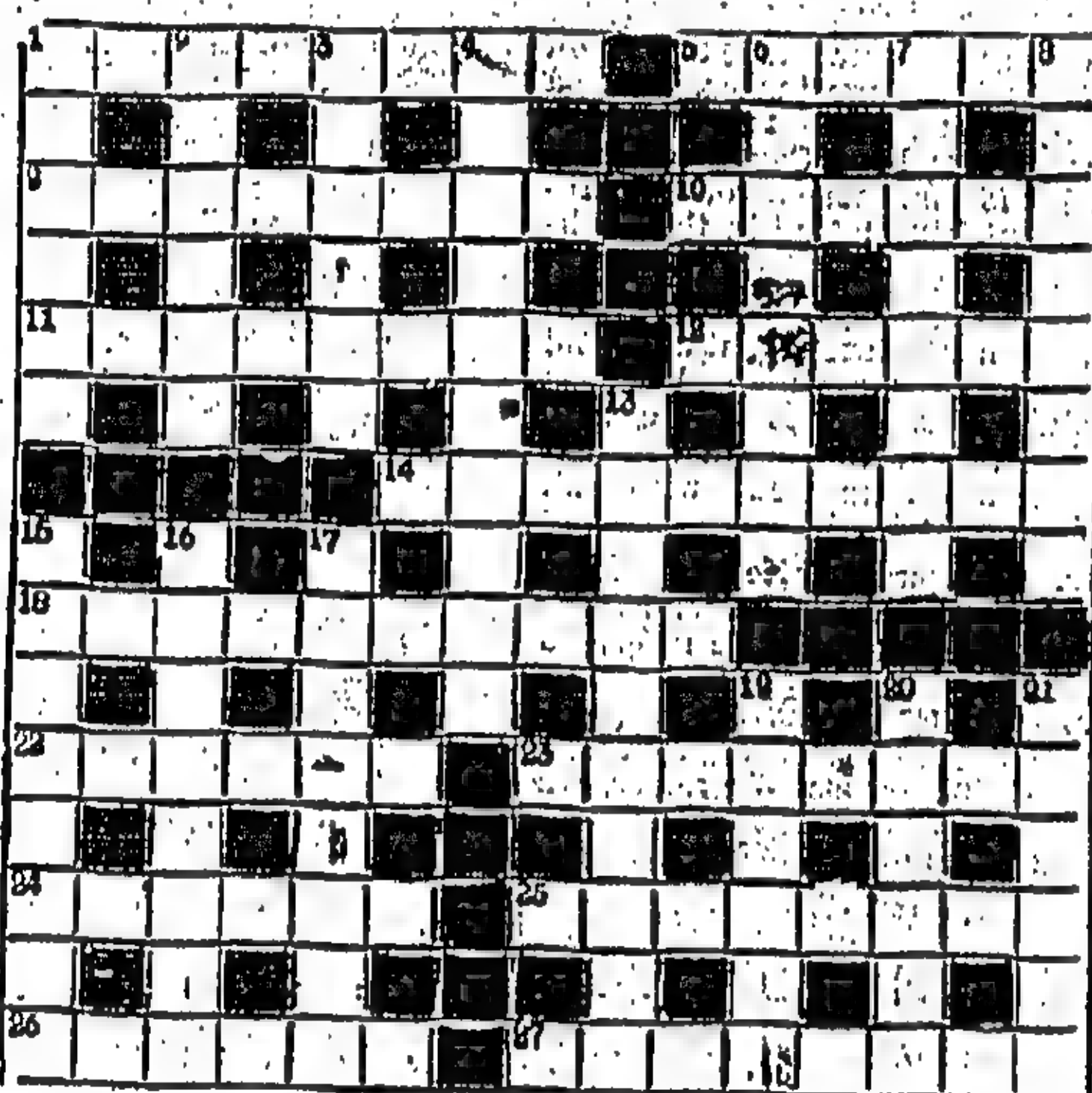
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- 14 A curtailer of latitude.
- 18 One of Neptune's steeds (two words).
- 22 Bits of fancy flying do not make for growth.
- 23 A hot favourite with the plumber.
- 24 Things that Alice saw in the looking glass.
- 25 Weakness does not usually tend to this as an argument, but might.
- 26 Unwilling.
- 27 Amiable.

In progress.

- 7 Epithet for the big, bad, hungry wolf.
- 8 Not a lawless African town.
- 13 A plaything the tinker uses without the eighth letter (two words).
- 15 An Ayran sun-symbol.
- 16 Apo with tail departed.
- 17 Tall billiards players take the this, but it's hardly ever still.
- 19 A number.
- 20 This is enclosed in the head of 18 down.
- 21 Far-reaching in a short while.

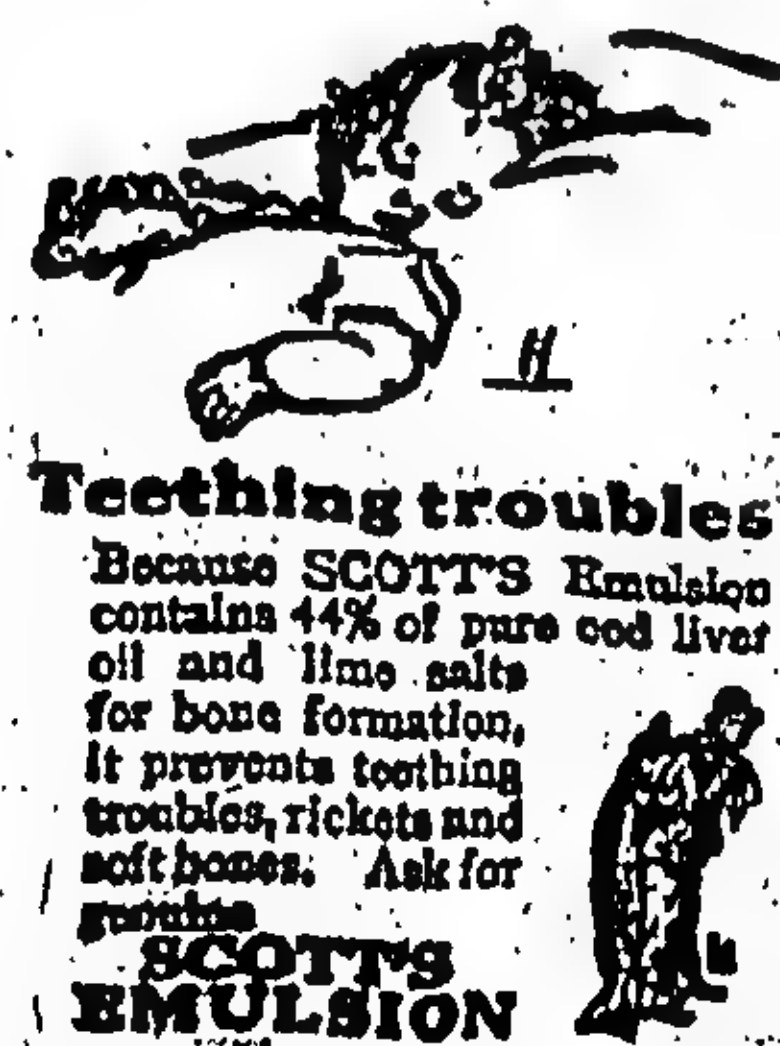
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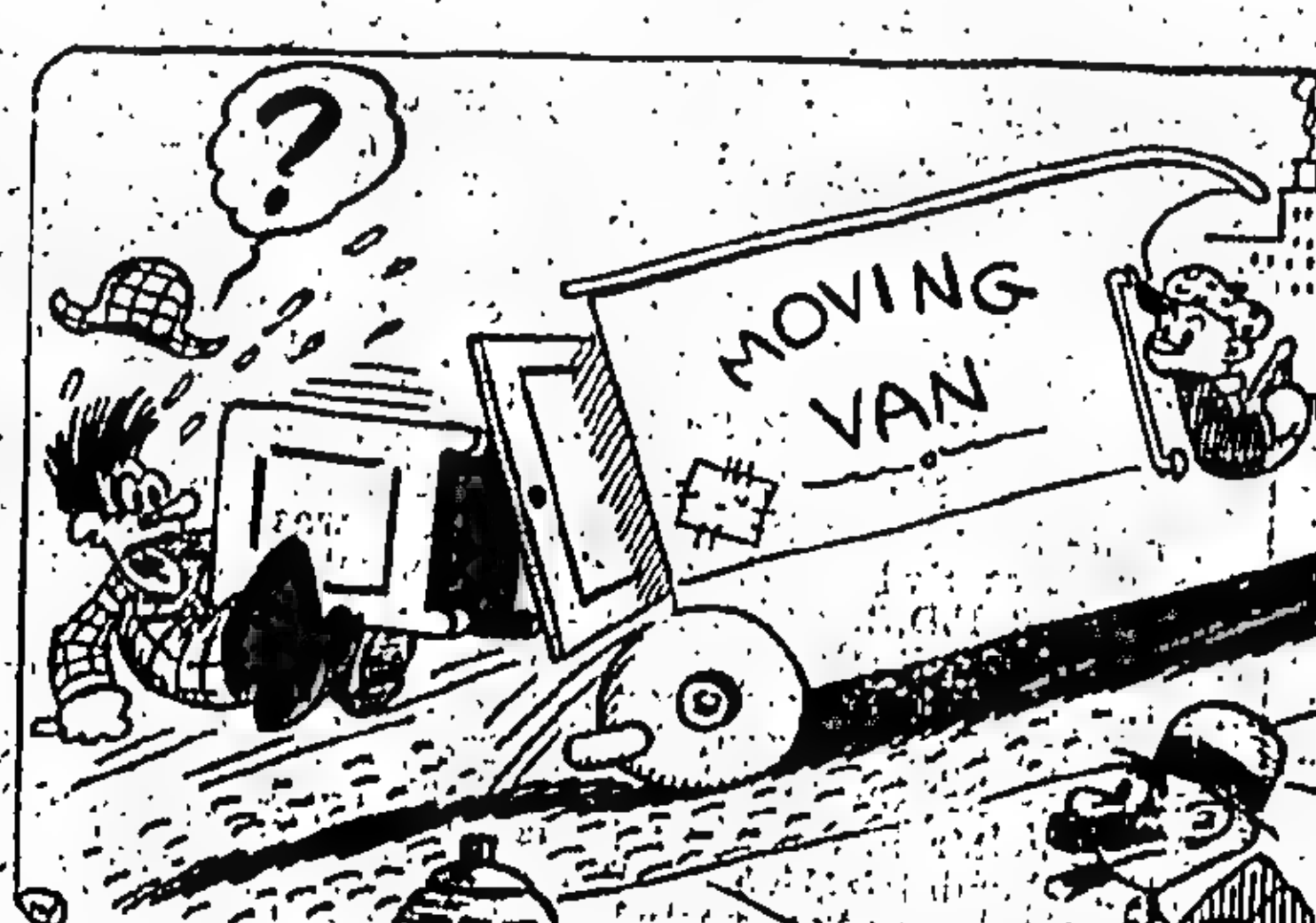
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ARMED HOLD-UP IN LONDON

Clerk Bound and Gagged By Masked Men

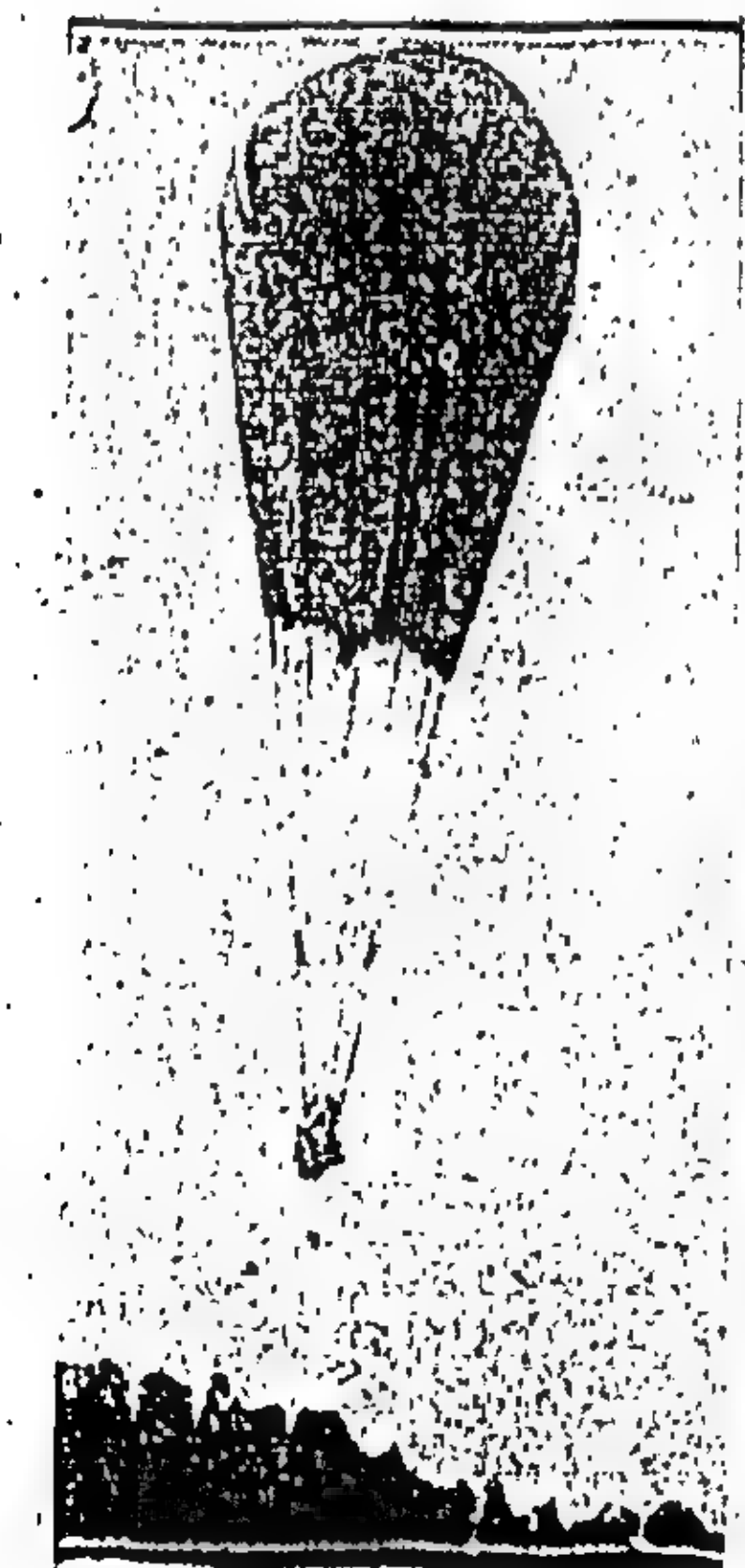
Two masked men, armed with a revolver, raided a booking office in the subway of Moorgate Metropolitan Railway station shortly after midnight recently, and, having bound and gagged the clerk, Douglas R. Foot, of Millstead Street, Brixton, stole about £12.

The subway was deserted at the time except for one passer-by, who saw the men running away, tried to stop them, and was knocked down. The men escaped in a motor-car.

Foot was checking his takings when a man asked for change for a 10s. note. As the clerk turned to get it a second man opened the door, and, pressing a revolver against his side, forced him back with his face to the wall, keeping the revolver close to him all the time.

The other man entered the booking office and pulled down the shutter in front of the window. The two placed the money spread on the table into bags, bound and gagged the clerk, and pushed him under the desk, and then, having cut the telephone wires and smashed the electric lamp, ran from the office.

Information was given to the City police, who searched the station but found no trace of the men.



Proudly starting her ascent into the stratosphere, the world's largest balloon carried three intrepid flyers from the earth at Moonlight Valley, South Dakota. Eleven miles up the huge bag ripped and the flight ended. Army balloonists escaped death by parachutes.

FAMILY'S PERIL IN QUICKSAND

Young Couple and Child Sucked Down

A young woman's terrible experience of seeing her husband and child become completely engulfed in a stretch of treacherous quicksands while she herself was sinking deeper and deeper is reported from Burnham-on-Sea, Somerset, on the south shore of the Bristol Channel.

The young couple, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Cox, of 3 Lyncroft Gardens, Hounslow, London and their small child, were on a motor tour in Somerset and had stopped at Burnham.

They had walked some distance along the sands just south of the lighthouse, but as they had been warned that the place was dangerous they decided not to bathe, but to paddle only. There were other people paddling nearby. The tide was out.

With the child between them Mr. and Mrs. Cox, neither of whom are swimmers, had just reached the water when the sand beneath them started to slide away.

Mrs. Cox's cries attracted the attention of other people and a crowd soon collected.

Mrs. Cox and her husband and child, however, continued to sink in the treacherous sands, and for a moment all that could be seen above the water was the woman's upraised hand and arm.

The husband and child were not to be seen at all.

Mrs. Cox was eventually pulled out in a semi-conscious condition.

Meanwhile the man had seen struggling hard to extricate himself from the sands. He managed to retain the child's hand in his. His struggles took him further out to sea, and there in a short while he emerged to the surface.

A human chain was formed of the onlookers, and Inspector Higgins, of the Llanelli police, who happened to be near, plunged into the water and pulled Mr. Cox and the child to safety.

Mr. and Mrs. Cox and their child all recovered after treatment at Burnham Hospital, though Mr. Cox was detained for a time suffering from shock.

Mr. Cox, in an interview, said that although he could not swim, he was determined to make a fight of it.

"It all happened in a minute," he said. "The water was just over our feet and the next minute I felt myself being sucked under. I went on my back, and the water came over me, but I kept baby's hand in mine. I kicked out, but could not come to the surface. Then I got into a current and came up. I don't remember much else, until I found myself on dry land."

THEY WOULDN'T HAVE GAS

Amusing Story At Dental Conference

An amusing story was related to delegates of the British Dental Association at their annual conference at Dundee, by Mr. R. C. Scott Dow, of Edinburgh.

There were no bridesmaids at the wedding, and only five local friends of the bride and bridegroom were present.

The register gave Sir Walter's address as 22 Downo Street, Piccadilly, and he was described simply as a "Baronet, previously married, now divorced."

His age was given as 74, and that of the bride as 39.

The bride is the widow of Mr. Wilson Broadhead, a director of a firm of gas engineers at Elland, near Huddersfield. She is the late Mr. James Roberts, a brewer, of Farnley Tyas.

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Sir Walter's father was the founder of the large wine business with which he is associated.

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WINE MAGNATE'S ROMANCE

Sir Walter Gilbey Marries Widow

It was revealed recently that Sir Walter Gilbey, Bart., and Mrs. Marion Miller Broadhead, of Farnley Tyas, near Huddersfield, were married at a Huddersfield register office last month.

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TREATMENT OF CATARRH

GOVT. SERVANTS AS RESEARCH SUBJECTS.

The British Post Office has recently experimented on members of its staff in selected districts with a view to ascertaining the efficacy of vaccine treatment for catarrhal ailments.

This experiment, which was undertaken with the approval of the staff side of the Post Office Whitley Council, was subject to the conditions that the majority of the local staff were in favour of the proposal, that the medical officer was personally interested, that no single officer was inoculated against his wish, that no charge for the treatment should be made, and that the vaccine should be fresh.

The Post Office is now examining reports from the selected districts which give particulars of the catarrhal sick leave taken during the experimental period and of the treated and non-treated officers. It expects to be in a position to report on the experiment in the autumn.

NOT TO CONDUCT FOR JEW

MISCHA ELMAN ON BERLIN WARNING.

Mischa Elman, the famous Russian violinist, announced at Buenos Aires, recently that his participation in an orchestral concert at the Colon Theatre, under the German conductor Herr Fritz Busch, had been cancelled on the ground that the conductor was unable to find time for rehearsals.

M. Elman states, however, that he had learned through private sources that Herr Busch had been warned from Berlin he would not be allowed to return to Germany if he conducted for a Jew. He added that he was unwilling to believe this, but the position was most satisfactory, and he had wasted much time in practising for the concert.

M. Elman further declared that though unable to play in Germany on account of his race, he loved the Germans, though the name of Hitler filled him with aversion.

LYNCHING FUED

BOY AND TWO MEN HANGED

A boy and two men were lynched in a village near Kowloon, in Eastern Poland, as the result of a quarrel over pasture lands between two Ruthenian families.

A young boy in charge of a herd of cattle grazing on the disputed land was seized by the rival family and immediately hanged from a nearby tree.

The boy's parents and relatives succeeded in catching the two men they presumed must have murdered the boy, and they dragged them to the village market place.

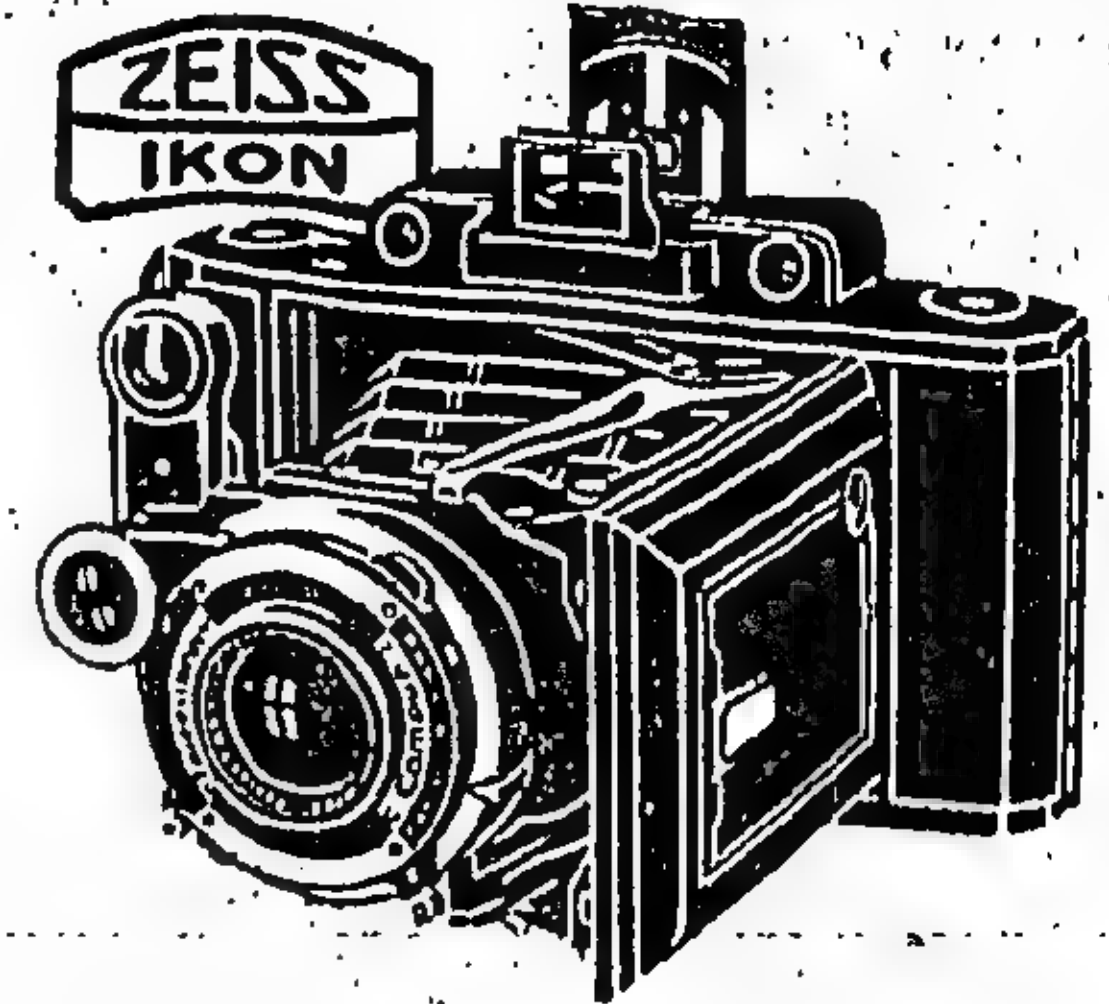
Kinsmen of the boy, armed with pitchforks, clubs, and hammers, gathered in the market place and hanged the two men, with calculated and deliberate slowness.

Police were dispatched from a nearby town, and the two families are now in prison.



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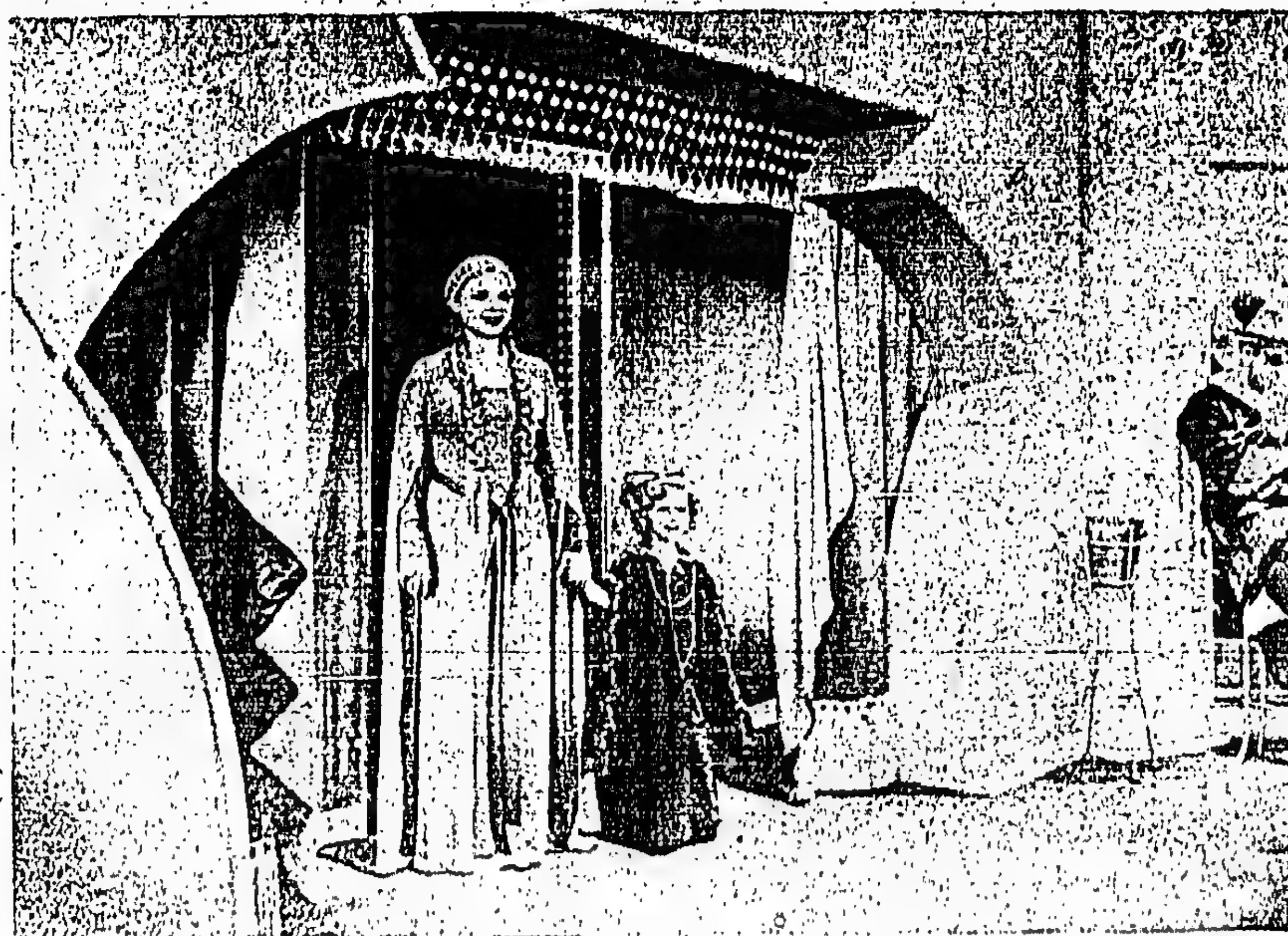


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OPIUM POSSESSION

HEAVY FINES ON THREE CHINESE

Revenue Officer Grimmitt, before Mr. W. M. Thomson, at the Central Magistracy this morning, charged three Chinese with possession of various quantities of opium.

Chan Choi was charged with possession of 110 taels of raw opium on board the steamer Kwongnai, and was fined \$2,200 or in default twelve months' hard labour.

Ho Lin, charged with possession of 98 taels of raw opium on board the same boat, was fined \$1,960, or in default nine months' hard labour.

Lau Ki was fined \$1,900 or in default nine months' hard labour, for possession of 24 taels of prepared opium at the Tai Hing wharf. The opium was tied round his waist in a pigskin.

POLICEMAN HELD IN THEFT CASE

YOUNG WEIHAIWEI CONSTABLE

Tsang Shiu-chu, aged 23, a constable in the Weihaiwei contingent of the Hongkong Police Force, was charged before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning with stealing \$25 from Mak Sik, a private watchman in the employ of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation.

Mr. C. E. R. Sanderson, of Russ and Company, appeared for the defence and asked for a remand.

Detective Sergeant Powrie stated that Mr. Callthrop, A.S.P., would be prosecuting.

Defendant was remanded to tomorrow in Police custody.

RUBBER PRICES

LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore to-day for raw rubber:

Spot 25 1/2 cts. up 3/4 ct.

Oct/Dec 27 1/2 cts. up 3/4 ct.

Jan/Mch 27 1/2 cts. up 1/2 ct.

Apr/June 28 1/2 cts. up 1/2 ct.

Market:—Steady.

Share Quotations

Messrs. Carroll Bros. have received the following quotations of Singapore rubber shares, dated August 30:

	Buyers	Sellers
Allenby	\$1.07 1/2	\$1.05
Ayer Pans	1.00	1.05
Changkat Serdang	2.05	2.12 1/2
Connamara	4.00	4.50
Glencaly	1	1.00
Glencaly	2	2.55
Glencaly	2	2.10
Kedah	3.25	3.35
Lunas	2.45	2.55
Malaka Pines	1.77 1/2	1.82 1/2
New Serendah	3.80	3.45
Pajans	2.45	2.55
Rongel Bagans	3.05	3.55
Teluk Anson	1.85 C.R.	1.90
United Malacca	2.00 C.D.	2.07 1/2
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Kuala Bidin	8 1/2	8 1/2
Tapah	4 1/2	4 1/2
United Malacca	3 1/2	3 1/2

MRS. C. A. LINDBERGH.

EXPECTING A CHILD THIS MONTH

New York, Sept. 5.
According to the Boston Post, Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh is expecting a child about the third week of September.—United Press.

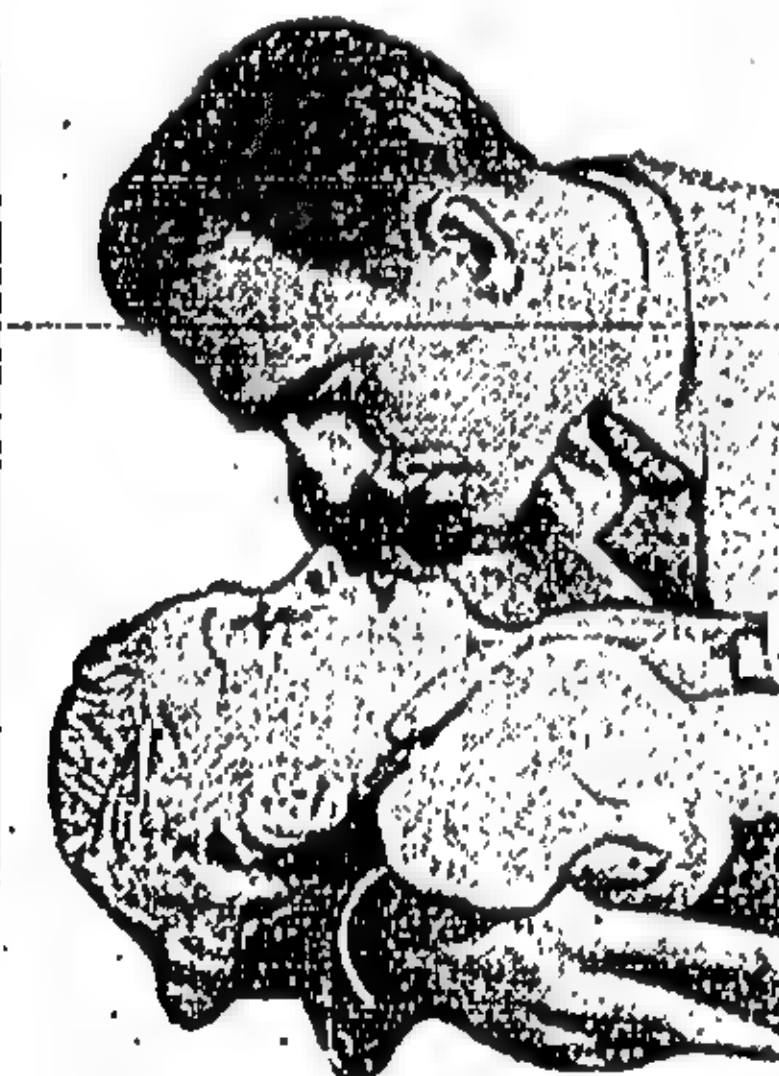
AFTER 27 YEARS

MR. JOSEPH MORRIS RETIRING

When he leaves for Home on retirement by the P. and O. liner Corfu on Saturday, Mr. Joseph Morris, Chief Accountant of the Kowloon-Canton Railway, will be severing 27 years' association with the Colony, during the whole of which time he has served the railway.

An interesting fact in connection with Mr. Morris' retirement is that it will mean the departure of the last official still in the Colony who was on the construction staff of the railway. It was in 1927 that Mr. Morris was appointed Chief Accountant of the construction staff, and when the railway was brought into operation three years later his services were retained. He has ever since been the Chief Accountant, in addition to which he has on two occasions acted as chief storekeeper.

During his lengthy residence in the Colony, Mr. Morris has made a host of friends, amongst whom he



Bette Davis and Pat O'Brien show their feelings rather visibly in this interesting scene from "Bureau of Missing Persons," First National's powerful drama of disappearing people. It is now playing at the King's Theatre.

has won much popularity by reason of his sterling qualities and his unassuming nature. The good wishes of all who have enjoyed his friendship will go with him in his retirement, in the hope that both he and Mrs. Morris may enjoy many years of happiness and prosperity in the Old Country. Mrs. Morris and two daughters are already in England. Mr. Morris has taken a keen and active interest in sport, especially golf and tennis, whilst for many years he has been Hon. Treasurer of the Railway Recreation Club.

CHINA PROTEST

JAPAN'S PROGRAMME OF DEPORTATION

Nanking, Sept. 6.
Mr. Chiang Tso-pin, Chinese Minister to Tokyo, has been instructed to lodge a protest with the Japanese Government against the mass deportation of Chinese labourers from Japan.

The latest batch arriving in Shanghai on Tuesday complained that when passing through Moji thirty-one of them were roughly handled by the local police.—Central News.

OLD WOMAN VICTIM

INCIDENT AT KOWLOON RAILWAY STATION

When Ng Ching, 24, unemployed, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy to-day, charged with obtaining \$1.20 by a trick, it was said that he chose as a victim a 71-year-old peasant woman, Lai Kiu, who was waiting in a queue at the Yumati railway Station yesterday.

He offered to make the purchase of a ticket on her behalf, but vanished after taking the money. An early hue-and-cry led to the man's arrest, and recovery of the sum in the man's pocket.

A sentence of two months' hard labour was passed.

IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—Tasmanian, Eldon Park, Tasmanian, Wing Lee, Luchow, Ward, Morlok Maru, Dalveen, Akita Maru, Calcutta Maru, Takada, Conna, Teimung; General Sherman, President, Jackson, Diomed, Lyons Maru, Nagara Maru.

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the West, North and East Rivers is as follows.	Sept. 4	Sept. 5
West River at Shihing	17.6	17.2
North River at Tsing-yuen	5.7	5.0
North River at Samshui	10.2	9.9
East River at Shikung	3.6	3.0

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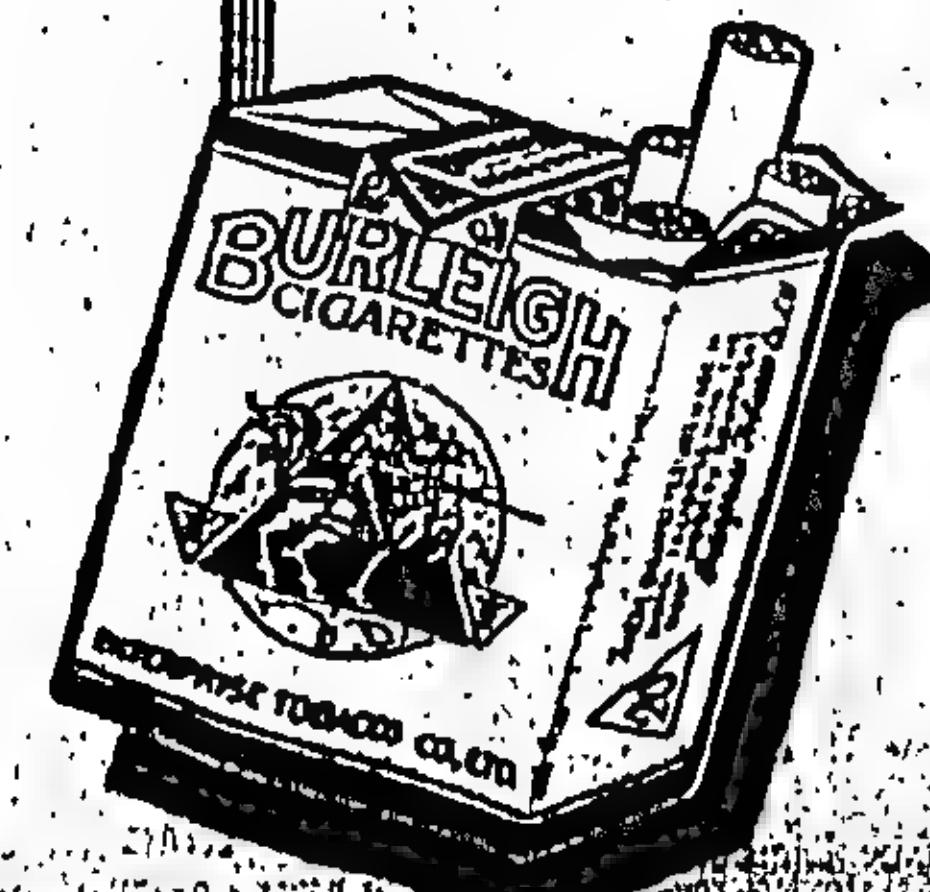
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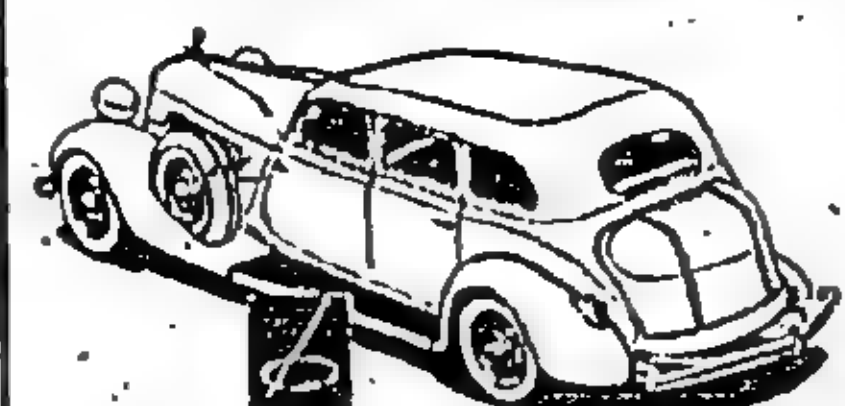
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THE ARMS RACKET

The munitions racket, which has left a trail of treason, greed and blood in its train, is at the moment undergoing a searching scrutiny in the United States. Already startling revelations have been made by witnesses before the Senate Committee, and before the inquiry is concluded we may expect to see the searchlight turned with dramatic effect on activities involving armament firms of the principal nations of the world. It is, of course, no new thing to learn that there is much interlocking between the big armament firms. Investigations made by the League of Nations have shown that these big munitions corporations have in the past actively fomented war scares, tried to bribe Governments officials, and disseminated false reports as to other nations' military and naval programmes in order to stimulate armament buying. But the U.S. Senate Committee presided over by Senator Nye is charged with the task of bringing the actual details into the full glare of publicity, in the hope that the revelations made will result in far-reaching international control of the arms traffic. There is to be the closest investigation into the financial and working arrangements between American corporations and the European arms industry. The facts that will be revealed are calculated to reflect very little credit on the big armament organisations. It has been disclosed in recent years that so-called patriotic societies have received large sums of money from the munitions interests, and that secrets of military and naval science have been made available to private corporations, whilst it is common knowledge that again and again soldiers have been shot down during wartime with guns and munitions the products of their own countries' armament firms. But it is not only in wartime that these dealers in weapons of destruction are active; in peace, also, they are known to engage in intrigue of all kinds, and to have divided the world into non-competitive spheres with the object of holding up prices. Peace-time profits are known to run into enormous figures, a fact which is hardly surprising when it is borne in mind that since the Great War the world has spent something like £2,500,000,000 on arms and munitions. The American investigation is to be welcomed. If it results in an end being put to this traffic in arms for private profit, it will have been more than justified, and, what is more, will remove one of the causes of war.

NOTES OF THE DAY

PLEA FOR DEMOCRACY

However great the weaknesses of democracy may seem in a time of crisis, it is hard to escape the impression that most of the troubles of Europe to-day arise in large part because of the denial of democracy. Austria, even to-day swept by the repercussions of an assassination ominously similar to that of Franz Ferdinand 20 years ago, is simply an example. For the underlying cause of such disorders is the fact that ordinary democratic processes have been suspended. Racked and torn by the cross-currents of passion, resentment, and despair that have been in the making ever since the war, dictator-ruled peoples have no way of expressing themselves but with guns. Germany furnished an object lesson on June 30. Discontent with the way the Nazi policies were working out came to a head and demanded expression. No peaceful means of expression was possible.

ONLY RECOURSE

Men could not argue their cause, they could not agitate by means of newspapers and magazines, they could not look forward to a chance to use ballots. The machine gun and the revolver became their only implements in replying to them. In Austria the same kind of thing happens. Instead of a notional campaign, with speeches, pamphlets, advertisements, and so on, there must be a "putsch," with bombs, gunfire, assassination, and all the rest. There is no other outlet for discontent. One does not need to look at such tragic happenings very long to get a new realization of the incalculable value of democracy.

WORTH A LITTLE THOUGHT

Democracy has its weaknesses, but it does provide a safety valve for public discontent. It does make it possible for people to get rid of a government, a party, or a policy which they do not like, in peaceful and orderly way. It lets every man have his say about the state of affairs about him; it makes the appeal to force unnecessary. We need to keep this constantly in mind. There are people even in this Colony of benevolent autocracy, who profess an admiration for dictatorship—whether proletarian, Fascist, or whatnot—on the ground that democracy is inefficient and unwieldy. The facts are worth a closer study.

DEPRESSION

Long after recovery from the depression has been completed, the world will probably be arguing earnestly about what caused the recovery. Was it due to this, that, or the other specific measure adopted? Or did it come of itself? The argument has begun already. On one side you have the theory that the cyclical swing, from prosperity to depression and back again, has been steadily increasing in velocity for half a century, and that this time it carried world economy down so far that the whole social organisation would have collapsed if remedies had not been applied. On the other, there is the belief that the depression has differed little from its predecessors, and that on the road to recovery the world would have proceeded just as fast—if not, in fact, a little faster—if governments had kept their hands off entirely.

ITS CAUSE?

This latter viewpoint is expressed by Professor Neil Carothers, who says that the causes of a depression "spring from the system of capitalistic production, in which goods are made far in advance of the market by means of borrowed credit and invested funds. Depression comes when this credit-secured investment system of production becomes overstimulated." This, adds Prof. Carothers, is a system which inevitably rights itself. It never quite capsize. But the only cure is that one remedy for all human ills—time.

AND THE CURE

The chief trouble with this theory seems to be its belief that human affairs are carried on in a vacuum. When an economist talks of producers, consumers, investors, and so on, he is not speaking of units in an academic chess game; he is speaking of human beings who have a naive way of getting angry when they lose their money and their jobs. A depression like the present might right itself, if given plenty of time; but the people who are living through it are apt to tear the house down while they are waiting. Depending on time to effect a cure is like depending on time to relieve an attack of acute appendicitis; it may work—and, on the other hand, the patient may die. In a highly organized country, it is impossible to let nature take its course in an acute depression. The strain on the social fabric is too great.

EUROPE'S IRON RING OF ALLIANCES

By SISLEY HUDDLESTON

SOME time ago a good deal of play was made with the ring of iron and concrete fortifications round France, but much more important is the ring of iron and concrete alliances that France, in conjunction with Russia, is erecting round the Europe of the peace treaties, the Europe of the status quo.

It is, of course, all done in the name of peace—a word that has been incredibly abused in recent years. The alliances are not, we are told, the old kind of alliances. All alliances are, by definition, defensive. No country, in these days, admits that its diplomatic combinations can possibly be directed against any other country. The other country can come into the combination if it chooses. But what could it do in such company if the facts of the case make of it a potential adversary of the group? Its inclusion would be sheer hypocrisy. Inside, there would be an inner circle.

That is precisely the difficulty which the League of Nations has experienced. It nominally takes in all—but in reality there is, inside the League, the same struggle for control, the same divisions, the same antagonisms, as would exist outside the League. The universality of the Kellogg pact has likewise failed to prevent the preparation for war, and many people are beginning to think that the efficacy of an international contract is in inverse ratio to the number of its adherents.

Nothing is to be deprecated more than the tendency to find scapegoats among the nations, and I do not propose to fall into the folly of condemning Russia. But it is absurd not to look objectively at what is happening, and to try to understand whether these diplomatic moves, now being played off swiftly and boldly on the European chessboard, are really desirable. I cannot be suspected of any animus against the Soviet regime, since I was one of the very few writers who in 1919 vehemently opposed the plan of the Cordon Sanitaire, and who (despite my dislike of the Bolshevik doctrines) believed that ideas cannot be destroyed by force.

That leaves me quite free to suggest to-day the danger of running to the opposite extreme, and of pretending that all that is done by Russia in the international sphere is commendable. Russia in the Disarmament Conference? Russia in the League? By all means. But let us count the cost, and not be led away by loud-sounding words signifying nothing.

France has always had a penchant for Russia. The attraction is the attraction of mass—Russia is the biggest country in Europe. If it is on the French side, French military strength is greatly increased. Before 1914, the Franco-Russian alliance was one of the most formidable factors in Europe.

The collapse of Russia, the disintegrating influence of Russia after the peace of Brest-Litovsk, made a renewal of the Franco-Russian alliance impossible for years. Yet France regretted the disappearance from its diplomatic calculations of the immense northern substitute. Poland was a doubtful substitute. The Little Entente was excellent in a supplementary

manner, but nothing could adequately substitute for Russia. As soon as Europe began to settle down, and doctrinal prejudice wore thin, France reverted to its former conception.

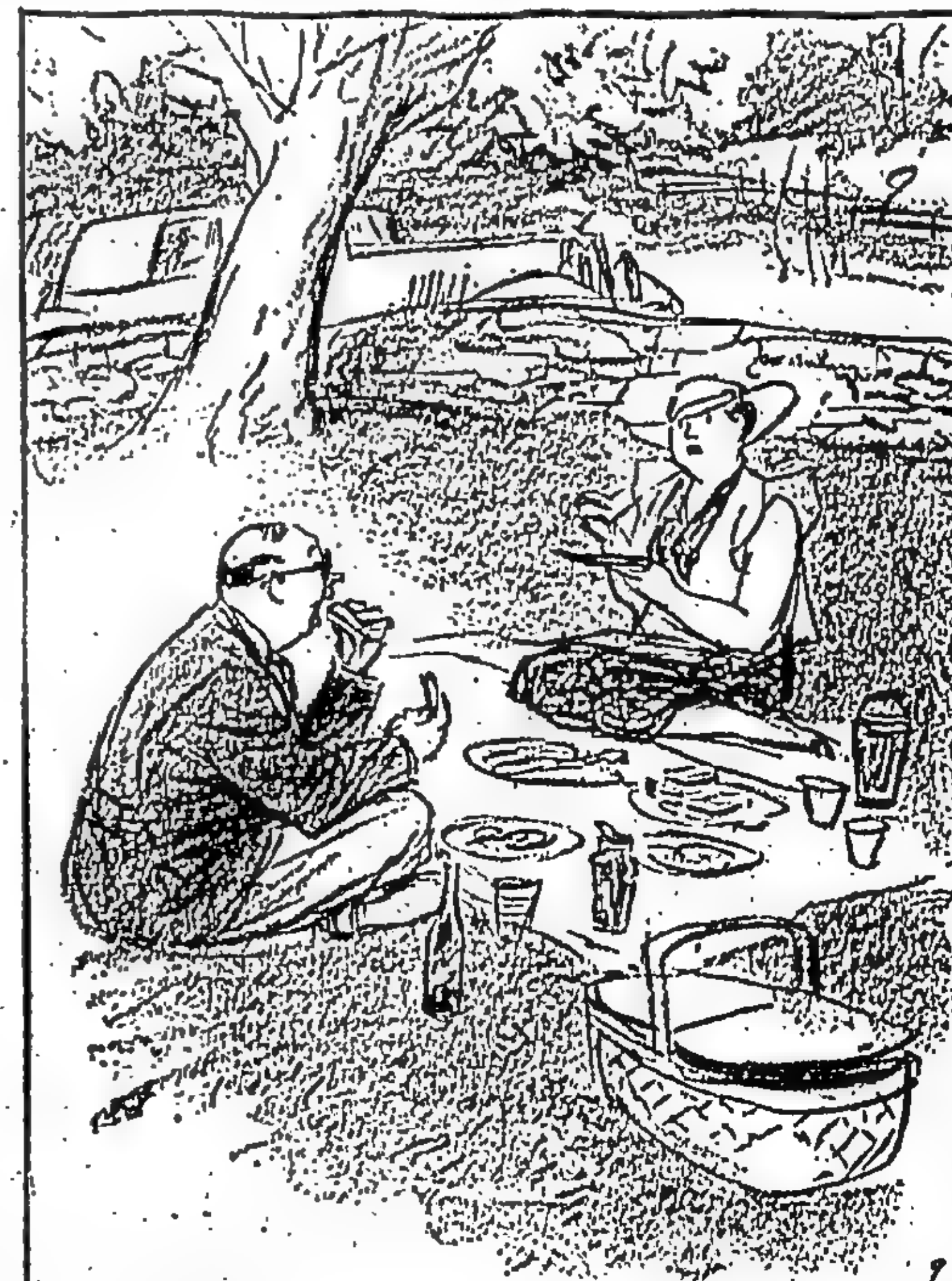
Doctrines really matter very little, and never for long, in diplomacy. It may be that doctrines create ambitions which are at variance, but in themselves they have no importance in international relations. Republican France and Tsarist Russia worked together. Why not a France still wedded to nineteenth-century democracy and a Russia which has adopted the twentieth-century notion of the subordination of the individual?

As for Communist Russia, it was at first suspicious of all bourgeois institutions and nations. But in a later period it realized that it had very much the same problems as the Tsarist Russia. Especially as the rivalry between it and Japan grew in intensity did it appreciate the need of allies in Europe. It is, huge as is its area and population, not so strong as it would wish to be. It cannot afford to have trouble in the East and in the West. Therefore, it must protect itself in Europe by a chain of alliances.

Besides, friendship with France meant much more than just friendship with France. France had already built up a ring of alliances by which Russia might benefit. France is directly allied to Bulgaria, Poland, Czechoslovakia, Roumania and Yugoslavia, and the eastern and southern countries are linked up with each other, if France cared to say the word. Russia might make its peace with these nations. France did say the word, and together France and Russia have constructed a boulevard of Europe which extends from the Baltic to the Dardanelles. France, Russia, the Little Entente, and the Balkan Entente, which includes Turkey, already an ally of Russia, can dominate Europe.

A good deal of diplomatic work was done outside Geneva, but Geneva offered a wonderful platform from which the solidarity of the new combination of powers could be announced. It could be announced in the name of security, as a diplomatic measure which assured peace. When real disarmament seemed improbable, then the arguments in favour of security could be brought forward, and if collective action of a general character were refused, no one could blame the arrangements themselves menaced might make among themselves. These arrangements were openly displayed. At a given moment the screen was thrown down, and Europe was exhibited as organized on the Franco-Russo-Little Entente-Balkan Entente pattern, with neutrals, and a number of countries which had aims incompatible with those of this immense diplomatic constellation, but without effective or sufficient power.

We have to reckon with this situation. It would be absurd to refuse to see the inwardness of the diplomatic deal based on the idea of mutual assistance. Does it make for peace? Immediately, perhaps, for it is difficult to see who can oppose it. But it certainly reintroduces into European (Continued on Page 10.)



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THE PLANE TRUTH
(By George)

THE great thing about these air races is the variety of records that are open to a pilot. The machine pushes off, say from Timbuctoo aiming for a six days record speed attack on Shanghai.

The eventful day arrives but the pilot does not. Perhaps he has passed over the Colony and is breaking another record.

But not! On the following day news comes that the pilot is way back at Hangoon picking cheroots with his plane pawing the ground. Expectation now rises high. Obviously an attempt on the slow speed record is being tried.

We only want to know if the machine has fallen into the sea on the last lap when we shall presume that a new swimming time is being set up or that instead of breaking records he is breaking necks.

It's surely all in the air when a plane takes wing!

DUMB-BELLES LETTRES.

By Juliet Lowell.

THE PEEPS HAVE IT.

Advice to the Lovelorn Column.

Dear Editor: I start out in the morning often with a run in my stockings. Then when my boss notices it, I say, "Damn it, another pair of stockings ruined!" Do you think I am getting away with this?

Frances F. (signed)



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Sincerely yours,
Clarissa Van S.

(signed)

SHAKE A LEG.

Mias Maude Skillman
Dear Maude: I surely miss you here. It is very nice to be revisiting the haunts of my youth, but I have only one regret. I miss so many of the faces that I used to shake hands with.

With love,
Herbert L. (signed)

A GREAT SACRIFICE.

RICO Theatre
Wanchai
Manager dear:

I want to be your usher in your lovely theatre. I am full of a delightful pose and am considered a beautiful man, only have a few pimples. Will get rid of them right away, for one will sacrifice anything to gain his goal.
Reginald G.

TRAGEDY

WITNESS TAKEN ILL

UNABLE TO GIVE EVIDENCE

The mother of Michael Pine and one of the little lad's former playmates were called to-day as new witnesses for the Crown in the nullah murder re-trial at the Criminal Sessions this morning before the Chief Justice, Mr. A. D. A. MacGregor.

The case is one in which Ng Loh-yuen, a 38 year old Swatow Chinese, is charged with the murder of little Michael Pine by throwing him into a nullah.

Mr. R. C. H. Lim instructed by Mr. T. P. K. Kemble represented accused.

The Special Jury empanelled spent nearly an hour and a half examining the scene of the alleged crime before the Court sat. The Chief Justice, counsel, police, and prisoner were also present.

Mr. A. J. Fraser, Assistant Attorney General, said that Mary Pine, the twin sister of deceased, was sick and in bed, but she might be called later.

MOTHER'S EVIDENCE.

Mrs. Pine then gave formal evidence. She added that when Mary was brought home she examined her carefully and found many bruises on her body and throat, though the skin was not broken. She was under medical treatment for ten days.

Cross-examined, witness said the doctor took a serious view of the injuries to Mary's spine and throat.

Master Gunner Pine, father of Michael, described how he was disturbed by shouts and ran out of the house to meet Mary being carried home after her shocking experience.

LAD'S VERSION.

Eric Davies, aged eight years old, gave evidence after earnestly affirming that he understood what was required of him and would tell the truth.

The boy spoke from the usher's box, the jury complaining that they could not hear witnesses from the usual stand.

Eric told the court that he was with the other children at the bridge where some of them were throwing stones into the water. No-one else was there and after a time he walked away to get a drink. He then heard a scream and ran back to see Fay Brompton in the water and the little boy Flood in the nullah bed.

Mr. Lim said that, without making any inference whatever against these last two witnesses, the jury would be interested to know that they were giving evidence for the first time.

MRS. FAIRBURN CALLED.

Mrs. Fairburn repeated the evidence she had given previously that whilst on a lower bridge she saw a Chinese, whom she later identified as accused, throw two children into the nullah and then climb the rail and drop in himself.

The hearing is proceeding.

CROWN WITNESS ILL.

After the tiffin adjournment, Mr. Fraser informed the Court that one of the Crown's most important witnesses, Mary Pine, sister of the victim of the affair, had been taken suddenly ill and sent to hospital with a high temperature.

The Crown would have to proceed as best it could until further information was available.

His Lordship the Chief Justice agreed.

It was also stated that the accused had complained of illness, and had been examined and pronounced fit to stand trial by Dr. A. R. Selby. He was, however, admitted to be seated.

SAFETY ON THE ROADS

NEW COUNCIL TO MEET WEEKLY

London, Sept. 5. Included among the duties of newly-appointed Road Safety Council, upon which all the principal interests will be represented, and over whose weekly meetings the Transport Minister, Lord Bellingham, will preside, will be a review of the highway and its redrafting in the light of any modifications found necessary. The Minister said to-day that he hoped this standing Council would assist in the conduct of a far, well-planned and systematic campaign in the proper of the roads.—*British Wireless.*

HERR HITLER ON COMMUNISM

Railway Income Rises

BRITISH TRADE IMPROVEMENT

London, Sept. 5. Further evidence of the continued improvement in British trade is shown in the traffic returns of the four principal railway systems.

The total receipts for the past week amounted to £3,261,000 which represents an increase of £129,000 on those of the corresponding week of last year.

Recent favourable returns of overseas trade are also reflected in the improvements in entrances and departures of ships at United Kingdom ports engaged in foreign trade.

The official return shows that the net tonnage of vessels arriving with cargoes in July was nearly 4 per cent. more than in July, 1933, while the departures with cargo increased by 1.4 per cent.

Arrivals in ballast were 0.7 per cent. smaller but the departures were 2.3 per cent. greater.

The increases were general in the coasting trade, cargo arrivals rising by 1.3 per cent., departures by 1.7 per cent., ballast entrances by 5.9 per cent., and clearances by 8.1 per cent.—*British Wireless.*

PRESENTATION OF MEDALS

THIS MORNING'S CEREMONY

H. E. the G.O.C., Major General O. C. Borrett, accompanied by Major C. Fowkes and Lieut. H. Abbott, A.D.C., presented long service and good conduct medals to men attached to the units of the China Command on Murray Parade Ground this morning.

The recipients of the awards were Sgt. C.A. Layzell, R.A.; Havildar Sultan Alan, H.K.S.I.A.; C.Q.M.S. E.C. Harrington, S/Sgt. A.E. Wilson, S.Q.M.S. L. Weekes, Sapper Leung Tai, Royal Engineers; L/Sgt. F. Newell, L/Sgt. J. Goble, Lincolnshire; Q.M.S. R. Fox, S/Sgt. A. H. Snashall, Sgt. T. Ryan, R.A.M.C.; L/Cpl. W. Lane, South Wales Borderers; S.Q.M.S. H.J.W. Warman, Sgt. C. A. Moss, R.A.P.C.

DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

IT IS FIT AND NECESSARY THAT SOME PERSONS IN THE WORLD SHOULD BE IN LOVE WITH A SILENDIOUS SERVITUDE.—*South.*

The highly successful whist drives are being continued at the Craigcower Cricket Club, and members and their friends are reminded that a further drive will be held this coming Saturday evening in the club house.

Mr. A. I. Burnie, of 12, Carnarvon Buildings, summoned before Mr. Justice Jones at the Kowloon Court to-day for allowing an unmuzzled dog abroad, pleaded guilty, but stated that he had had the dog inoculated and the usual fine was reduced from \$25 to \$17.

"Apart from the offence of driving without licence, the rickshaw was in a filthy condition and not fit to ride in," stated Inspector Dredge when a Hoke appeared before Mr. Macfadyen this morning, and was fined \$3 for driving a rickshaw without a licence.

Taken to Central Police Station last night for riding a bicycle in circles in Bonham Strand East, an apprentice, Yim Lau, 18, told the Police that he had been in Hongkong for ten years and did not think he was doing any particular harm. He was fined \$3 by Mr. Macfadyen this morning.

Wong Sam-hong, who was remanded from yesterday on a charge of armed robbery at No. 70 Chun Young Street on July 7, appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, and after police evidence had been given, he was committed to stand his trial at the next Criminal Sessions. Defendant, with four others not in custody, was alleged to have robbed Sum Cheung-fung, a storekeeper, of jewellery and money to the total value of \$120.30, after holding up the inmates of the house with two automatics.

GERMANY STEMS THE FLOOD

NATION CANNOT LIVE WITHOUT REVOLUTION

NAZI PARTY CONVENTION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Nuremberg, Sept. 5. Remarkable scenes were witnessed here to-day at the convention of the National Socialist Party, when Herr Hitler addressed an enormous crowd.

Der Fuehrer surveyed Germany's past and depicted the future, saying "the culture alien to German life that has been introduced by Jewish intellectualism" and declaring that in future the political as well as the cultural development of the country will be dictated by the Nazi Party.

Herr Hitler re-emphasised the dangers of Communism throughout the world and said: "Just as when the national and racial shock from the immeasurable East broke upon Germany so also now our people form a breakwater against a flood which otherwise would have buried Europe."

If the world does not understand the success of Nazism, he said, it is due to the Press, which only upon conditions wants to be a research worker in the service of eternal truth.

NATION AND REVOLUTION.

In the course of the opening of the proceedings at the convention, the District Leader, Herr Adolf Wagner, read a proclamation by Herr Hitler, in the course of which he said: "By this revolution the German form of life has been definitely settled for the next thousand years. . . . If our enemies, especially those beyond our borders, are prone to consider four million opposition votes as a menacing opposition then we can only smile to ourselves. . . . The National Socialist revolution as a revolutionary struggle has now ended. Just as a nation cannot live without war, so a nation cannot live without revolution."—*United Press.*

Royal Artillery Headquarters notify that gun practice will be carried out on the 11th instant between 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. from Devil's Peak in the direction of Tathong Channel.

On complaint by Mr. L. H. C. Calthrop, a woman hawket, Li Sze, aged 65, was arrested yesterday for crying her wares in Arbutnot Road, a prohibited area. Before Mr. Macfadyen this morning she was fined \$1. She was selling fresh eggs.

One month's hard labour was the sentence imposed by Mr. W. M. Thomson at the Central Magistracy this morning, on Li Wing, unemployed, who admitted the theft of a retail watch from Kale Khan, a shopkeeper, at No. 115 Hennessey Road, ground floor.

Seven cases of typhoid with three deaths (three imported), two cases of meningitis with one death, one case each of diphtheria and small-pox and 56 deaths from tuberculosis were reported to the local health authorities last week. On Tuesday one case each of typhoid and paratyphoid fever were also reported.

Two Street coolies, Li Kiu and So Yau, who carried sucking pigs in a crate without matting, thereby causing suffering to the animals' legs, were fined \$5 each by Mr. Macfadyen this morning. Inspector Dredge said the owner of the pigs was a woman but the defendants were carrying the crate. Mr. Macfadyen remarked that the defendants were not entirely to blame.

Brought before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning on a charge of begging in Queen's Road Central, Chung Kwai-chi, aged 48, told the Magistrate that she was a native of Kwoichow and had come to Hongkong to search for her son. "I thought of committing suicide, but I was not successful," she said. A fine of \$5 or seven days' imprisonment was imposed.

REMAND HOME ESCAPE

CONSTABLE FACES TRIAL

ALLEGED GROSS NEGLIGENCE

Wong Chuen-kuen, Police Constable No. 590, appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Central Magistracy this morning, on a charge of neglect of duty in allowing two boys, Tam Wai and Mak Shiu, to escape from the Juvenile Remand Home on August 29.

Mr. Hin-shing Lo, instructed by Mr. J. M. Hall, appeared for the defence, while Mr. T. H. King, Deputy Inspector General of Police, conducted the prosecution.

Opening the case for the prosecution, Mr. King stated that on August 29 defendant was one of two Chinese constables who were on duty at the Remand Home. The defendant's duty was on the first floor of the building, where the boys were locked up in their dormitories at night.

At 6.30 p.m. that day, 40 boys were paraded and then sent to the dormitories by Mr. Fallon, the Officer-in-Charge. The defendant went on duty at 4 p.m., and finished at 8 p.m. At 7.05 p.m. one more boy was admitted to the Home from Mong Kok Tsui, making a total of 41. He was handed over to the defendant.

THE ESCAPE.

It appeared that some time after 7.30 p.m. two boys, Mak Shiu and Tam Wai, who were serving sentences, asked defendant to let them out of the room to go to the lavatory, which was also on the same floor. Defendant let them out. His duty and orders were to lock the door after them and escort them to the lavatory, wait there, and bring them back and lock them up again. Just as they went to the lavatory, the fire engine passed outside, and several of the boys had their attention attracted by it. They went out on the verandah, and defendant's attention was also attracted. After the fire engine had passed, the boys returned to their rooms.

At 8 p.m. another constable, No. 633, came to relieve the defendant. On the first floor there was a register which the relieving constable and the man whom he relieves were required to sign and state the number of boys taken over and handed over. The defendant had already signed the number as 41 in the book, and when No. 633 counted the number of boys he found there were only 39. That was the first indication that two boys were missing, and the alarm was raised. Mr. Fallon arrived, and enquiries were then made.

METHOD OF ESCAPE.

It was found that the two boys had gone to the back verandah, and there succeeded in prising up a staple holding some wire netting into place. They had then climbed down the pipe to the ground floor and from there made their way to the school room. They took ten stools from there, and placed them against the back wall, and so made their escape. The constable on gate and ground patrol duty was equally unaware that the boys had escaped. This man was being dealt with departmentally.

In conclusion, Mr. King submitted that it was a case of very gross negligence, specially emphasised by the fact that the defendant had made an incorrect entry in the book. If the case were proved, defendant should not be given the option of a fine.

RULE OF THE HOME.

Mr. C. P. Fallon, Officer-in-Charge of the Remand Home, then gave his evidence, and in cross-examination by Mr. Lo said that the relieving constable usually came to relieve the man on duty about 7.55 p.m. The rule was that the constable going off duty should mark the number of boys down in the presence of the relieving constable. It would be wrong if he marked the book before the relieving constable arrived. He did not suggest that defendant had written the boys down as 41 knowing that two boys had escaped. The constable on duty should always be on the alert in spite of the precaution taken.

CAUTION NOT EXERCISED.

If the defendant had exercised his utmost caution, said witness, the boys could not have escaped. It was not the duty of any constable to know why any particular boy was sent to the Home. The escape would have taken from ten to 15 minutes at the fastest. It was the duty of the constable in the compound, C.89, to walk round the compound, and it would take him about ten minutes to do so at a leisurely pace. Had he walked round the compound he might have caught the boys in the act of escaping.

After constable No. 633 had given evidence, the hearing was adjourned until Monday at 11.15 a.m.

RADIO BROADCAST

Relay Of Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra.

Z.E.K. PROGRAMME.

Broadcast from Z.B.W. on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles). 6.30 p.m. European Programme. 6.47 p.m. A Relay of the Hongkong Hotel Dance Orchestra from the Hongkong Hotel Roof Garden (by courtesy of the Management). 7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London & New York Stock & Commodity Quotations. 7.08-7.25 p.m. Vocal Gems from Musical Comedy.

"The New Moon" (Romberg) Light Opera Company. "Whoopie" (Kahn) Light Opera Company. "The Girl Friend" (Rodgers) Light Opera Company. "Fanny Ann" (Rodgers) Light Opera Company.

7.25-7.42 p.m. Pianoforte Recital by Wilhelm Backhaus.

1. Military March in E flat (Schubert). 2. Triana ("Iberia") (Albeniz). 3. (a) Waltz in D flat—Op. 64, No. 1. (b) Etude in C Major—Op. 10, No. 7.

4. Waldstraussen (Liszt). 7.42-8 p.m. "Bolero" (Ravel) played by Wilhelm Mengelberg and his Concertgebouw Orchestra. 8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report.

8.03-10.30 p.m. Chinese Studio Concert.

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, Rugby 11.45 p.m. Press Bulletin, London Stock and Commodity Quotations.

10.40 p.m. Close Down. 8.30-10 p.m. European Recorded Music from Z.E.K. on a frequency of 640 k.c.s.

8.30-8.55 p.m. Orchestral Music. Hungarian Rhapsody No. 2. (Liszt). Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra directed by Leopold Stokowski.

Peer Gynt Suite—No. 2. (Grieg)—Op. 55. New Queen's Hall Light Orchestra.

1. Der Brautraub (Ingrid's Klage). 2. Arabian Dance. 3. Return of Peer Gynt. 4. Solveig's Song.

8.55-9.12 p.m. Selection of Ethelbert Novins' Music. A Day in Venice. Victor Salon Orchestra.

1. Dawn. 2. Gondoliers. 3. Venetian Love Song. 4. Good Night.

My Desire (Songs from "Venezia"). "Mighty Lak Rose. Lewis James (Tenor) Olive Kline (Soprano) with the Victor Salon Group.

At Twilight—Oh that we two were musing—At Rest. Wilfred Glenn (Bass) and the Victor Salon Group.

9.12-9.30 p.m. Violin Solos by Joseph Szigeti. 1. Caprice No. 24 (Variations in A Minor) (Paganini). 3. Tambourin Chinois. (Kreisler).

9.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletin, London 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.35-10 p.m. Grand Opera. "Prince Igor"—Overture (Borodin). Symphony Orchestra conducted by Albert Coates.

"Thais"—Dis-Moi Que Je Suis Belle (Tell me I am Beautiful) (Massenet).

Maryse Beaujon (Soprano). "Carmen"—Soldiers Changing the Guard (Bizet). "Carmen"—The March of the Snugglers (Bizet).

Philadelphia Symphony Orchestra conducted by Leopold Stokowski. "Lohengrin"—In Fernem Land (Lohengrin's Narrative in Distant Lands) (Wagner).

Richard Crooks (Tenor). 10 p.m. Close Down.

LORD DEVONPORT DEAD

Returned Yearly Salary of £7,000

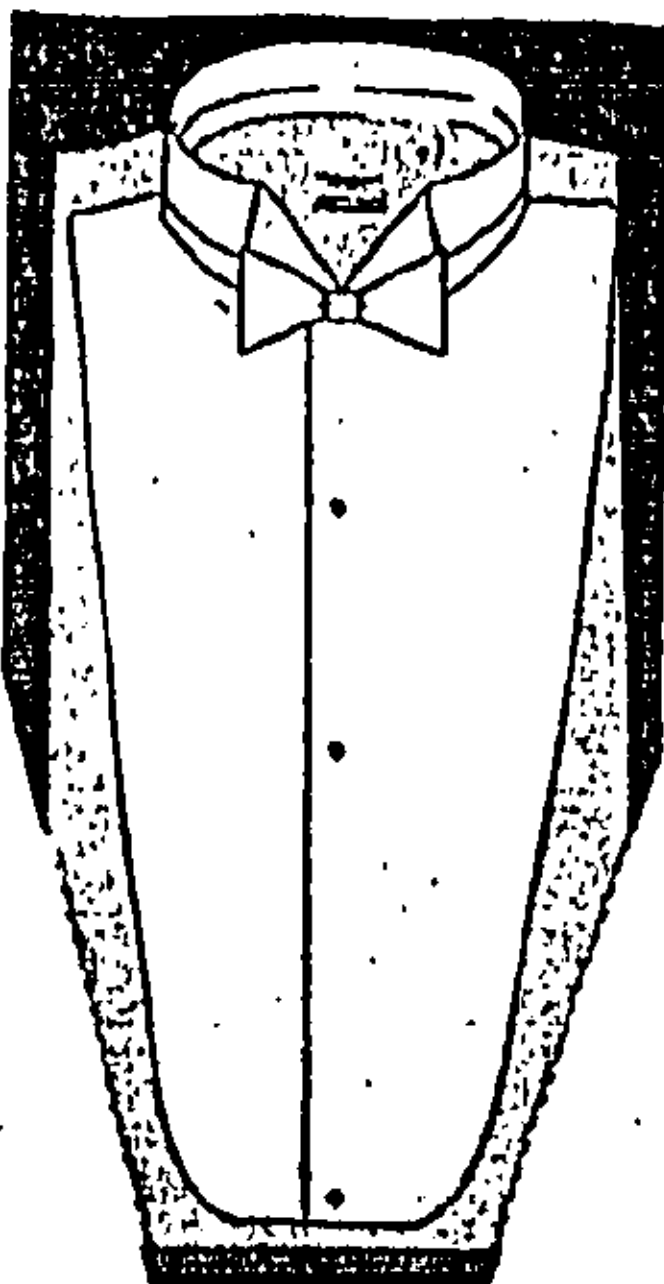
London, Sept. 5. Lord Devonport died to-day at the age of 78 years.

As Mr. Hudson Kearley, he was formerly a Liberal Member of Parliament, but in 1909 he abandoned politics to become the first Chairman of the newly-formed Port of London Authority, whose properties, then valued at £25,000,000 are now assessed at £40,000,000. He held the post until 1925, and took a keen interest in the development of the port. Each year he returned his annual salary of £7,000.

Lord Devonport, who began life in relatively poor circumstances, was mainly responsible for building up the huge wholesale provisions business of Kearley and Tonge, the controlling interest in which was purchased in 1927 for approximately £4,000,000 by the International Tea Company.

During the war he acted as Food Controller and was Chairman of the Royal Commission on Sugar Supply.—*British Wireless.*

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ARSENAL AMONG FOURTEEN HOME TEAMS TO W

SOUNDLY BEAT BLACKBURN

NEWPORT SUFFER FIRST DEFEAT OF SEASON

GRIMSBY FALL AT SUNDERLAND

Arsenal's big guns were brought into full play yesterday, when the Woolwich team, pride of London, entertained Blackburn Rovers at Highbury and won by four clear goals. The Arsenal have now scored twelve goals in two matches on their own ground this season, sufficient indication that they will be almost unbeatable before their own supporters.

Home teams swept all before them in quite a big programme of first class matches. In the first division all five home teams secured the maximum points, this incurring the defeat of Huddersfield by Derby and Grimsby by Sunderland.

As a result Sunderland take the lead in the table, with one point dropped in four matches. Manchester City, among the leaders, came a cropper at Liverpool, the lowly Merseysiders recording their second win of the season.

An interesting "argument" between Brentford and Fulham, on the former's ground, went in favour of Brentford, who managed to net the only goal of the match.

NEWPORT FALL

Sixteen teams were engaged in the southern section of the Third Division, which provided some interesting results.

Newport, previously holding a 100 per cent. record in three matches, fell by the wayside in visiting Bournemouth. The latter, at the time occupying the bottom position in the table, pulled off a surprise victory by three goals to one.

Reading were unsuccessful in their challenge to Bristol City, on the City's enclosure, losing by the only goal scored, but Exeter returned to best form to obliterate Northampton by three clear goals. Queen's Park Rangers performed smartly in visiting Crystal Palace and winning by the odd goal in five, and Charlton gave further indication of their potentialities by taking points from Torquay on the Devonshire team's enclosure.

CHESTER ON TOP

In the northern section of the Third Division, Chester leapt into the lead with a very decisive victory over Hartlepool. This was Chester's fourth successive win of the season, and they take over the leadership of the division by virtue of a superior goal average.

Darlington, another home team, just pipped Gateshead by the odd goal in three.

Altogether 14 home clubs won yesterday, while two visiting teams annexed the full complement of points. There was not a single drawn game in a programme of sixteen matches.

FIRST DIVISION

Arsenal	4	3	0	9	2	7
Blackburn	4	3	0	10	7	6
Huddersfield	4	3	0	10	7	6
Liverpool	4	3	0	10	7	6
Manchester City	4	3	0	10	7	6
Portsmouth	4	3	0	10	7	6
Sunderland	4	3	0	10	7	6
Grimsby	4	3	0	10	7	6

League Table

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Sunderland	4	3	1	0	9	2	7
Wednesday	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Preston N.E.	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Arsenal	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Manchester City	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Derby	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Stoke	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Middlesbrough	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Birmingham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Portsmouth	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
West Brom	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Aston Villa	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Liverpool	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Grimsby	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Huddersfield	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Leicester	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Wolves	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Leeds	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Tottenham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Chelsea	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Blackburn	4	3	0	1	10	7	6

SECOND DIVISION

Brentford	4	3	0	1	10	7
Fulham	4	3	0	1	10	7

League Table

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Brentford	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Bolton	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Bury	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Blackpool	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Swansea	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Barnsley	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Port Vale	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Fulham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Sheffield U.	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Bradford	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Norwich	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Notts County	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Flynnham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Notts Forest	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Manchester U.	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
West Ham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Bradford	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Southampton	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Oldham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Hull	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Newcastle	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Bury	4	3	0	1	10	7	6

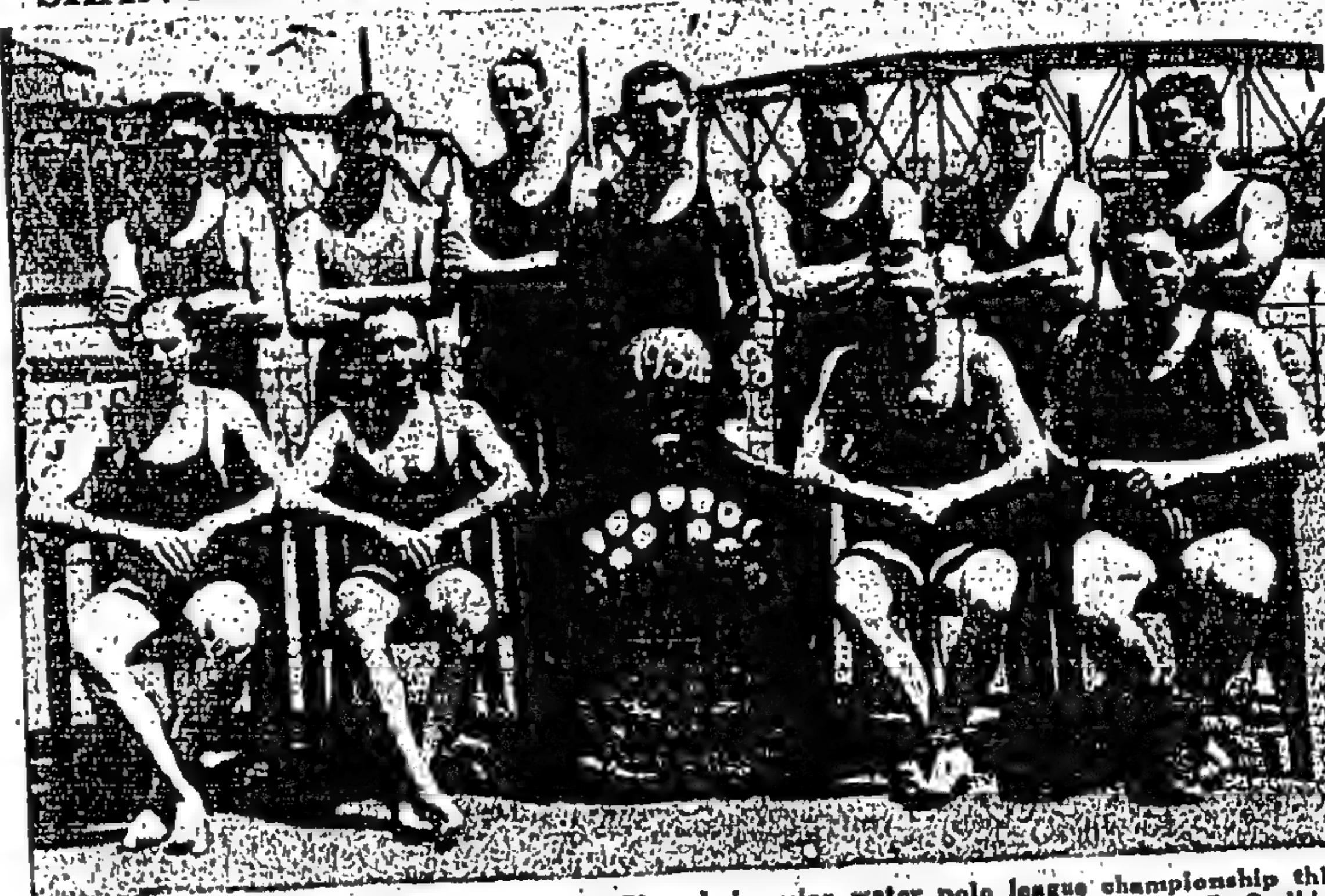
THIRD DIVISION (SOUTH)

Aldershot	4	3	0	1	10	7
Brighton	4	3	0	1	10	7
Bournemouth	4	3	0	1	10	7
Bristol City	4	3	0	1	10	7
Bristol R.	4	3	0	1	10	7
Crystal P.	4	3	0	1	10	7
Exeter	4	3	0	1	10	7
Swindon	4	3	0	1	10	7
Torquay	4	3	0	1	10	7

League Table

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Coventry	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Newport	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Charlton	4	3	0	1	10	7	6

SHANGHAI WATER POLO LEAGUE CHAMPIONS



Rowing Club "A" Team, winners of the Shanghai senior water polo league championship this season. Standing, left to right: J. Rafen, Y. S. Turner, W. Vannewitz, W. Naugbauer, S. Godkin, A. C. More, L. Fabian. Sitting, N. Hammon, D. J. Raeburn, A. S. Sinclair, P. J. Klisk.

INTERPORT SWIMMERS IN FORM AT NORTH POINT BEACH

MAGNIFICENT RACE OVER 400 METRES

ROZA PEREIRA CONCEDES 10 SECS: AND IS JUST BEATEN

CHINA ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION GALA LAST NIGHT

Judicious handicapping resulted in a magnificent finish of the 400 Metres Free Style Exhibition by the Hongkong Interceptors at the Swimming Gala held at the China Athletic Association last night.

Giving W. Campbell a start of ten seconds, and A. Roza Pereira, the Colony's long distance champion, was just pipped at the post by Roza, who swam a fine race throughout. Roza Pereira could not catch up with Roza, but passed Campbell in the last lap.

The Hongkong Interceptors engaged the C.A.A. in an interesting water polo match, which resulted in a win for the former by five goals to two. The goalkeepers for the Interceptors were Fullagher (2), Roza, Campbell and C. E. Roza Pereira.

Results were:
50 Metres Free Style—1, Kwok Fung-sang; 2, Young Man-ki; 3, Ng Kwan-ping.
200 Metres Handicap for Children.—1, Lau Po-yiu; 2, Chan Yuk-kin, 3, Lau Po-leung.
75 Metres Medley (Open to Colony)—1, Kwok Chun-hung (S. C. Colony); 2, Chan Ki-chung (S. C. A. A.); 3, Chan He-fook (C. B. C. A. A.); 4, Chan He-fook (C. B. C. A. A.); 5, Chan He-fook (C. B. C. A. A.).
50 Metres Free Style (For Novice Swimmers)—1, Ma Yik-kwong; 2, Yung Fan; 3, Cheung Yat-seng.
100 Metres Handicap (For Girls).—1, Wong King-kam; 2, Chan Yuk-king; 3, The Yuk-kwai.
100 Metres Back Stroke.—1, Young Man-ki; 2, Lam Yau-ting; 3, Fung Yik-sing.
50 Metres (Members of Ambulance).—1, Cheng Ching-luen; 2, Fung Yik-sing; 3, Fung Yik-wai.

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH)

Brighton	4	3	0	1	10	7
Swindon	4	3	0	1	10	7
Queen's Park	4	3	0	1	10	7
Reading	4	3	0	1	10	7
Millwall	4	3	0	1	10	7
Bristol City	4	3	0	1	10	7
Crystal P.	4	3	0	1	10	7
Northampton	4	3	0	1	10	7
Cardiff	4	3	0	1	10	7
Luton	4	3	0	1	10	7
Exeter	4	3	0	1	10	7
Southend	4	3	0	1	10	7
Gillingham	4	3	0	1	10	7
Bristol R.	4	3	0	1	10	7
Clapton O.	4	3	0	1	10	7
Torquay	4	3	0	1	10	7
Aldershot	4	3	0	1	10	7
Bournemouth	4	3	0	1	10	7
Watford	4	3	0	1	10	7

League Table

	P.	W.	D.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
Chester	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Darlington	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Lincoln	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Tramere	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Barrow	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Wrexham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Doncaster	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Stockport	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
New Brighton	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Hull	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Hartlepool	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Gateshead	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Chesterfield	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
York	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Rotherham	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Mansfield	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Crewe	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Carlisle	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Rochdale	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Southport	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Walsall	4	3	0	1	10	7	6
Accrington	4	3	0	1	10	7	6

PERRY IN THE THIRD ROUND

U.S. TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIP

ALLISON GIVEN A FRIGHT

MENZEL HARD PRESSED

Forest Hills, Sept. 5. Fred Perry, English defender of the American national singles tennis title, advanced to the third round of the championship to-day, when he overcame Martin Buxby, an American, in three straight sets.

There were no expected results during the day but Dr. E. H. McCauliff of New York, a prominent tournament player, sent Wilmer Allison all the way to win after five sets. McCauliff was trailing throughout, but he gave a very plucky display against a doughty opponent.

Roderick Menzel, the tall Czech was also severely extended by Ronald Longtin, well known Canadian player, who very nearly took a two sets lead at the start, but was pulled back, and finally lost in four sets.

Menzel dropped the first without showing the slightest bit of fight, but he became serious in the second set, when faced with further reverses.

PRACTICE FOR SHIELDS

Longtin made a great effort to snatch this set, and the set lengthened to 20 games before the Czech broke through. After this the Canadian was a spent force, and he lost the third and fourth sets at 6-3 and 6-0.

Frank Shields, America's No. 1 ranking player had a practice knock in disposing of Etherdon, a New York tournament player, in three sets, and Van Ryn was equally as merciless against Prusoff of Seattle, whom he beat in straight sets.

The scores which were cabled by Reuter, follow.

SECOND ROUND

F. J. Perry (Britain) beat Martin Buxby (U.S.) 6-3, 6-1, 6-4.

R. Menzel (Czechoslovakia) beat R. Longtin (Canada) 2-6, 11-9, 6-3, 6-0.

F. X. Shields (U.S.) beat Etherdon (U.S.) 6-3, 6-1, 6-3.

J. Van Ryn (U.S.) beat Prusoff (U.S.) 6-1, 6-2, 6-3.

W. Allison (U.S.) beat Dr. E. McCauliff (U.S.) 6-4, 3-6, 7-5, 4-6, 6-2.

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C.R.C. Win Tennis Championship

SENIOR TITLE RETAINED

In beating the Indian Recreation Club in their last match of the season, the Chinese Recreation Club "A" team yesterday retained the championship of the tennis league.

The Chinese, strengthened by the return of Paul Kong, defeated the I.R.C. by 5½ sets to 3½, meeting with opposition from H. D. Rumjahn and J. A. Cassamboy, who won all three sets.

The C.R.C. have thus won the "A" Division title three years in succession, and since their participation in the league have been champions on ten occasions.

HOME RACING

Lozinger Easily Wins

London, Sept. 5. In the Derby Races, the St. Leger candidate, Lozinger, ridden by Gordon Richards, won the Breckers' St. Leger by six and a half lengths. Lozinger, carrying top weight of 12 stone 12 pounds, won easily from his three opponents. His price was 1 to 4 for the race.—Reuter.

HONGKONG BOWLERS DISAPPOINT IN INTERPORT

OMAR'S UNFORTUNATE EXPERIENCE

LOST FORM AGAINST SHANGHAI

COATES AND BASA PLAY WELL, BUT WINNERS TOO CONSISTENT

SMART WIN FOR HANKOW TEAM

Shanghai, Sept. 5. The Interport lawn bowls match was resumed to-day on the Police Recreation Club ground at Hongkew Park where Shanghai beat Hongkong by 22 shots to 15 after the scores had been 10-10 yesterday when rain caused an interruption of the match on the eleventh head.

Despite yesterday's heavy rain the green to-day was keen and on the first head of the resumption good woods were sent down by E. Coates and R. Basa (Hongkong) but J. E. Harvey (Shanghai) shifted the jack and the northerners scored two shots. Hongkong retaliated with a single on the thirteenth head and a three on the fourteenth. Basa, H. Beer and U. M. Omar laying the shots. Shanghai again went ahead by scoring one on the fifteenth and two on the sixteenth but Hongkong tied the scores at fifteen all at the seventeenth.

SHANGHAI SUPERIOR.

Shanghai's superiority was definite on the next four heads, scoring three, one, one and two to win by 22 shots to 15. The eighteenth head was a brilliant one at a critical stage of the game.

"Pick" Basa drew two beauties but E. B. Henton-Smith upset the head and lay the shot; Harvey drew another. A heavy wood from Beer disturbed the head but Shanghai still lay two, Porter adding a third. Omar failed to save the count. The Shanghai four were consistent. The teams and scores were:

Shanghai: A. E. Coates, C. M. Sequiera, E. B. Henton-Smith, R. Basa, J. E. Harvey, H. Beer, C. W. Porter 22 U. M. Omar 15.

"DEFEAT OF A SKIP"

U. M. Omar Plays Weakest Game

Shanghai, Sept. 5. "The defeat of a skip" sums up Hongkong's defeat in the lawn bowls Interport, U. M. Omar playing the weakest game since his arrival. C. W. Porter, Shanghai's skip, played splendidly, as indicated by the first head to-day. Hongkong were lying five when Porter sent down a well judged heavy wood to give Shanghai a count of two.

From then onwards Shanghai were in a moral ascendancy. The standard of the play in general was high with the ones, twos and threes of each team well matched. A. E. Coates was very sound while Basa was better than yesterday but Beer was mediocre. Omar was unable to do anything right.

In the subsequent friendly match against the Police, Hongkong, play-

WIN FOR HANKOW

Shanghai Beaten By Five Shots

Shanghai, Sept. 4. Hankow who were led by 10-9 by Shanghai in the other lawn bowls Interport match on the Police Green, won the contest to-day by 21 shots to 16.—*Reuter.*

How Hongkong Lost To South Africa

IN EMPIRE BOWLS MATCH

By J. E. Linney.

London, Aug. 14. After a rainy morning, the weather was again ideal for the bowls section in the British Empire Games, and there was a good attendance at the Temple and Paddington greens.

A slight breeze across the green at the Temple Club was not noticed enough by the players, who preferred the forehead from the Pavilion, and many wide woods were bowled. In one instance, the last end of the rink between Hongkong and South Africa, there were three South African woods wide, but Jack high, and the shot was in favour of Hongkong, thanks to a fine wood from the Hongkong third, who removed the South African shot from the jack. Hongkong wanted four shots, and their skip played firmly with his first wood, but was wide, and he rubbed the back of Holhausen's wood sending it to the jack for shot. Thomas played his second wood wide; and Nish, the Hongkong skip, played firmly on the jack, but instead of hitting it squarely on the face, caught it at the back and sent it sideways to the South Africans' two wide woods. There was a Hongkong wood between them and this scored, but the South Africans won by two shots.

RUMJAHN WINS

ENTERS BOWLS FINAL

KEEN GAME WITH CHAPMAN

D. Rumjahn, of the Craigenower C.C., qualified for the final of the Open Lawn Bowls Singles Championship yesterday when, on the Kewlawn Bowling Green Club's green, he eliminated A. Chapman of the Yacht Club by 21 shots to 10 after 26 heads had been played.

One of the most outstanding features of what was a match of championship standard was the enforcement of the much discussed foot-fault rule against D. Rumjahn in the eighth head when the Craigenower player was being led by seven shots to three and his opponent was laying another three.

The match produced bowls of a high standard with both players revealing some good form. Chapman was steady throughout the match without being really brilliant except on some occasions when he sent down a couple of beautiful shots to claim the count. Rumjahn opened indifferent, although in the trial head he threatened to produce for which would have easily carried him into the final.

PLAYER FOOT-FAULTED.

However, after scoring a single on the first head he became erratic and mixed an occasional brilliant wood with some which were only mediocre. Chapman quickly jumped into the lead on the second head with a three and at the seventh he had scored seven shots to his opponent's three. On the eighth head Chapman was laying three when Rumjahn sent down his last wood. The bowler was instantly foot-faulted and the wood, which threatened to upset the head, was stopped before it could interfere with the head.

Thence was then 10-3 in favour of Chapman but on the next head Rumjahn with a perfect draw scored his fourth point only to see his opponent lead by 15-5 on the thirteenth head. Rumjahn had been playing a losing game up to this point but he staged a wonderful recovery and scored a two, a three, a two and a one to level the scores at 13-13 on the seventeenth head.

His two shots on the fourteenth head were dead on the jack while on the fifteenth head he twice carried the jack for his count of three. On the seventeenth head Rumjahn was laying three shots when Chapman was lucky to save two. In trying to draw to the jack Chapman bumped one of his own woods in for second shot.

RUMJAHN TAKES LEAD.

For the first time during the match Rumjahn took the lead on the twentieth head when he secured a single to make the score 15-14. However, his lead was short lived and a two on the next head gave Chapman his sixteenth shot. Rumjahn had trailed the jack but, using the wrong hand, he had carried it among Chapman's woods.

A three on the 22nd head gave Rumjahn the lead again by 18-16. Chapman was laying three shots when Rumjahn, with his third level, scored two of Chapman's woods and knocked the jack to one of his own.



Spencer Tracy and Loretta Young as they appear together in "A Man's Castle", now showing at the Queen's Theatre.

WIGHTMAN CUP PAIR WIN

ENGLISH PLAYERS IN GERMANY

DOUBLES TITLE SECURED

London, Aug. 13. The German lawn tennis championships at Hamburg, although they brought disappointments to Great Britain in the singles contests of Miss M. C. Scriven and C. R. D. Tuckey, have nevertheless yielded another honour to add to those of Wimbledon and the Davis Cup. Miss E. M. Dearman and Miss N. M. Lyle, the Wightman Cup doubles players, added their names to the list of those of the five other British pairs who have won the German women's doubles title since the championships were started in 1925.

Oddly enough, local opinion favoured the chance of Miss I. Adamoff and Miss R. Couquerque, their opponents in the final, for the strange reason that they had beaten Miss Scriven and Miss R. M. Hardwick, but Miss Lyle and Miss Dearman must have supplied a strong corrective when they won easily by 6-4, 6-2. Miss Dearman's volleying was particularly crisp and decisive, and the pair implemented their claim to be considered one of the best Great Britain has.

Tuckey and Miss Scriven were beaten in the final of the mixed by G. von Cramm and Frau Sperling by 6-2, 6-4. The winners, besides gaining this title for the third year running, had also won the singles, von Cramm from C. L. Burwell by 6-2, 6-1, 6-4, and Frau Sperling from Fri. Aussem by 6-2, 6-3. Both were singles winners last year. E. Maier and A. K. Quist won the men's doubles.—*Reuter Special.*

The Hon. Treasurer of the Society of St. Vincent de Paul acknowledges with grateful appreciation and thanks the receipt of £20 donation to the Society's Funds from the Portuguese Staff of the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation in memory of the late Mr. J. T. Victor.

With his last wood Chapman bumped one of Rumjahn's into the jack and then the Craigenower player drew a three.

When Rumjahn scored a two on the next head the match seemed to be all over but Chapman made a gallant effort to retrieve the situation. He prolonged the game until the 20th head when he was beaten by 21-19.

TODAY'S SEMI-FINAL.

The second semi-final match between A. W. Grimmett and V. Petherick will be played on the Craigenower C. C. green this afternoon, commencing at 5.15 p.m. The final will be decided on Wednesday next on the Club de Recreio green at 5 p.m.

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THE EMPIRE GAMES

HOW ORGANISERS WENT WRONG

The British Empire Games and the Women's World Games point a moral to those responsible for their organisation.

There were good crowds over the holidays at the Empire Games, but in general the attendances, particularly at the Women's Games, were far smaller than they ought to have been.

The fault is not altogether with the public. Indifference may be traced in some cases to insufficient publicity and in others to exorbitant prices of admission. A Derby correspondent has written rather emphatically on this subject. He has just spent a holiday in London with his wife and daughter and all three, being keen enthusiasts, fixed their holiday so as to take in the Empire and the Women's Games.

His experience on the opening day of the Women's Games is rather illuminating. There were certain events staged at ten o'clock in the morning and, being an enthusiast, he went as early as this to the White City. He paid 3s. 3d. and was informed that he could go anywhere and as there were only about a dozen of the general public present, he got a very good seat. At lunch-time he "passed out," only to find on his return that his original seat had jumped in price to 6s.

If he had stayed in the Stadium he would of course, have been able to retain his seat without the increased fee, which I regard as a piece of shameful extortion. Something of the same sort of imposition was carried out on Bank Holiday, when half a crown was charged for places which had been priced at half that amount on the opening day of the Empire Games.

Somewhere with a wider vision and an enterprise that understands the public point of view is badly needed in athletics. I should like to see somebody run a big meeting at a common price, say, of 1s. 3d., with perhaps, 10 per cent. of the seating at 5s. for those who desire to be a little exclusive and do not mind paying for it.

Jeff Dickson, too, has sensed the value of cheap seats and



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Apart from boxing, Tan is also a very fine athlete.

Mr. Tan has now concentrated his attention on aircraft engineering and is at present doing the two years engineering course at the Far East Flying Training School in Hongkong. On completion of the course, Mr. Tan will sit for the Government examinations for the aircraft engineers licences before returning to Malaya.

Tan's engineering studies are not to interfere with his boxing activities as he is already fighting his way to popularity with his fellow pupils in the form of boxing bouts staged in the school.

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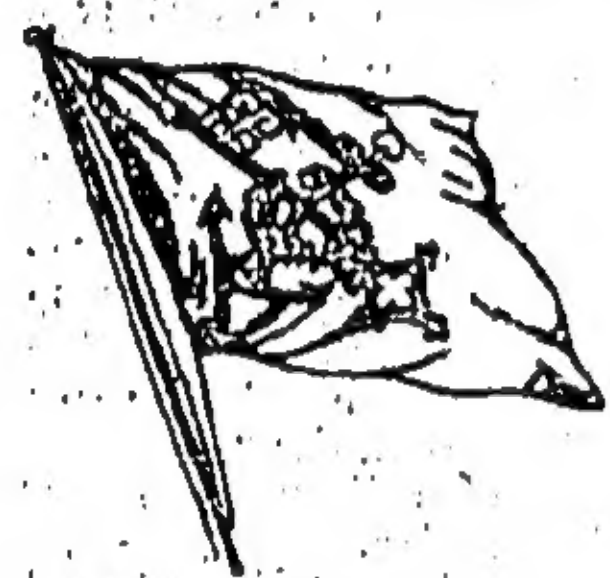
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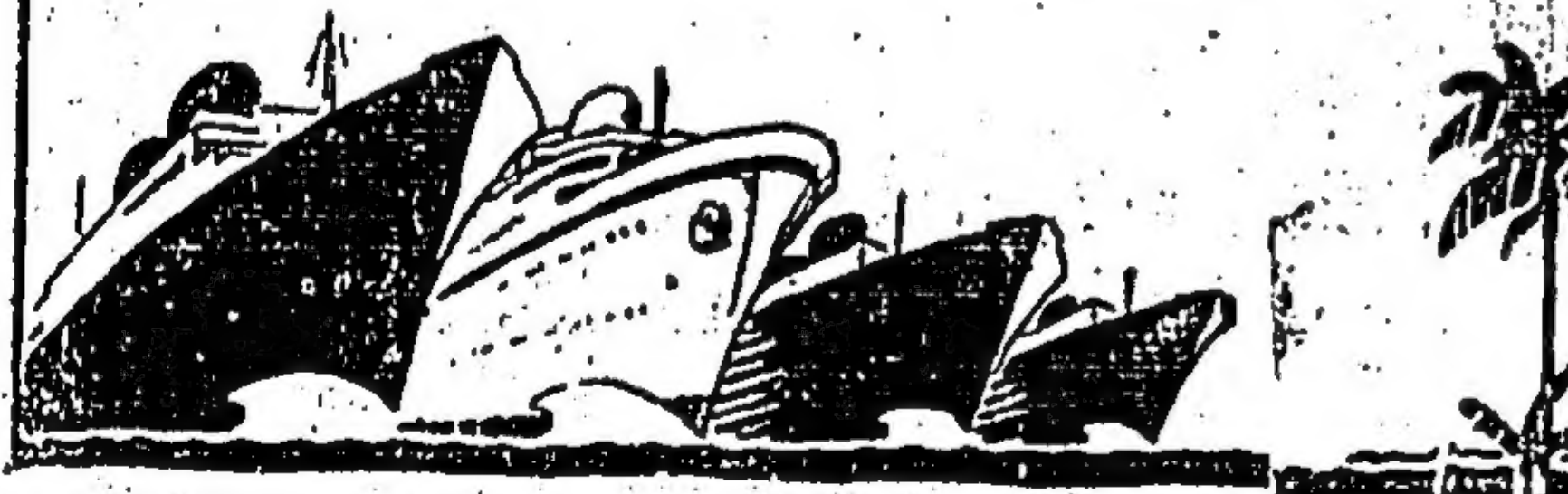
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NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

MARKET CONDITIONS IMPROVE

The following reports on the New York stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz: The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's market: Stocks were upward and distinctly more optimistic, due to President Roosevelt's intention to mediate in the textile strike. Bonds were generally downward, featured by heavy selling of depressed United States Government issues, due to buyers standing aloof, pending the financing announcement. Stocks on the Curb Exchange were firmer. Wheat prices were upward, due to heavy speculative buying.

S. C. & F. New York office cables: The stock market developed a firmer tone as traders turned to the buying side and also due to the fact that the Lint appears to be overvalued. Strike news predominates, with general news unsettled and featureless. An Associated Press survey finds that the textile strike is 80% effective. Federal mediation has begun. Mr. Jesse Jones is publicly optimistic about business conditions. Secretary Rober of the Department of Commerce says that the Government will quickly lessen business control when possible and that the United States Government seeks a Trade Treaty with Belgium. The Treasury deficit at August 31st was nearly double that of a year ago. The Chamber of Commerce reports that the gain in United States trade was above the world average. The American Iron and Steel Institute reports that operations are off a point one point at 18.4% of capacity. Business done: 480,000.

New York & Chicago commodity reports received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson & Fritz: Cotton: The Government weekly weather report is slightly bullish. Strike news was conflicting, but the effect was offset by the strength of other markets. Hedging was light. Cotton futures for December, 1934, were 13 cents. The strike was less effective and private crop reports are low. The "Journal of Commerce" estimates a crop of 8,970,000 bales.

Grains: The strength of Cash and September wheat continued. A larger buying movement was in evidence and the general belief is that small liquidation has been completed. There is indication of further front buying in Canada. Exporters are buying and premiums are fully maintained. A lack of speculative interest is holding the natural advance in both wheat and corn.

Rubber: The market was firm at the advance on Trade buying. Offerings were scarce and the market looks higher. Dow-Jones Averages: Sept. 4 Sept. 5
30 Industrials 92.30 93.65
20 Utilities 36.87 36.63
40 Bonds 92.63 92.55
11-Commodity Index 62.18 63.04
18 Leading Stocks

Amer. Can Sept. 5, 99
Amer. Smelting & Ref. 38
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EUROPE'S IRON RING OF ALLIANCES

(Continued from Page 8.)

Life the system of alliances, and sooner or later there will be an attempt to construct counter-alliances.

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Milan	67.9/16	67.9/16
Buenos Aires	3 1/2	3 1/2
Shanghai	1/6 1/2	5.01 1/2
New York	5.01 1/2	5.01 1/2
Amsterdam	7.28 1/2	7.29 1/2
Vienna	20 1/2	20 1/2
Prague	118 1/2	118 1/2
Brussels	493	492
Madrid	36.5/32	36.3/16
Hongkong	1/6 1/2	1/6 1/2
Brussels	21.07	21.05 1/2
Stockholm	19.39 1/2	19.39 1/2
Copenhagen	22.39	22.40 1/2
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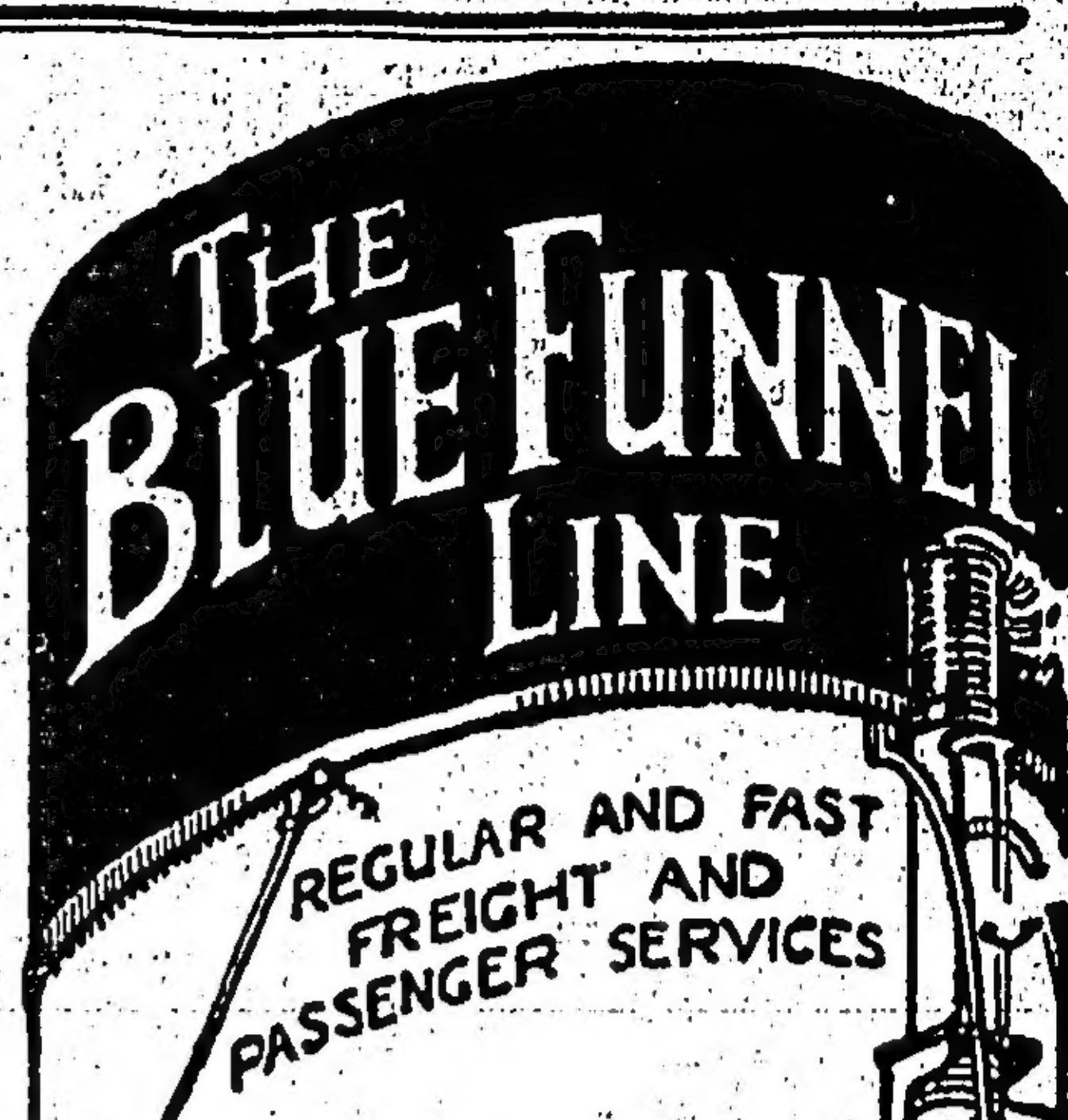
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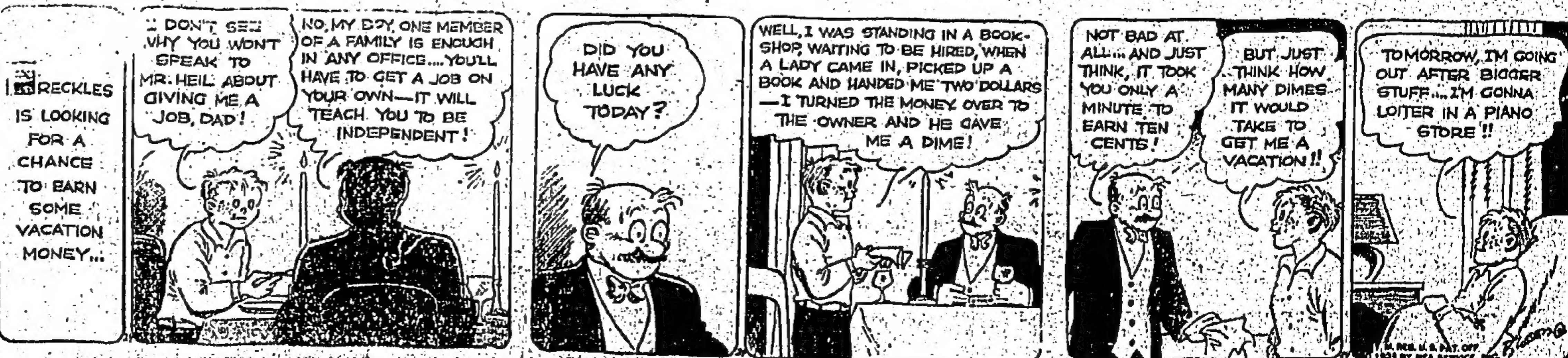
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Washington, Sept. 5. Further sensational evidence was forthcoming to-day relative to the international armaments racket, during the questioning of the President of the Electric Boat Company by the Senate Committee of Investigation.

Mr. Caroe to-day testified that during the Leticia dispute between Peru and Colombia his firm sold to Peru ammunition supplied by Messrs. Vickers, which was delivered through the West Indies after an unsuccessful attempt to send it via Brazil.

Excitement developed when Senator Clark, one of the members of the Nye Committee, produced a letter sent by Mr. Spear, the Vice-President of the Electric Boat Company, to Sir Charles Craven, the managing director of Messrs. Vickers Limited, in the course of which Mr. Spear informed Vickers that the business of selling warships to South America was based upon graft.

BRIBERY CHARGES. Senator Clark alleged that certain payments made to the Electric Boat Company's Peruvian representative and passed on to certain Peruvian interests actually amounted to bribery.

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PRINCE GEORGE'S PLANS

Returning To London Next Week

London, Sept. 5. It is expected that Prince George will return to London from Yugo-Slavia early next week. Princess Marina of Greece, his fiancée, will visit England a week or two later and will probably stay at Balmoral Castle with the King and Queen.—*British Wireless.*

GERMAN PLANE IN CANTON

FLYING TO SHANGHAI TO-DAY

Canton, Sept. 5. A big aeroplane capable of accommodating eighteen passengers, which has been ordered by the Eurasia Aviation Corporation from Germany, arrived here from Europe this evening and will continue her flight to Shanghai for delivery to-morrow.—*Central News.*

Senator Clark included the name of Juan Legula, the son of the Peruvian President, as a possible recipient of commissions on submarines sold to Peru, but this Mr. Caroe denied.

The Committee, questioning Mr. Caroe, alleged that the Electric Boat Company attempted to help Peru to get an American loan in 1920 to enable Peru to buy the Company's warships.—*United Press.*

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YESTERDAY'S HOME FOOTBALL

London, Sept. 5. Arsenal followed up their win over Liverpool with an easy victory against Blackburn Rovers to-day, giving them an aggregate of twelve goals to one in their first two matches at Highbury. Other home football matches played to-day were equally free of the element of surprise, although the 3-2 win of Queen's Park Rangers over Crystal Palace upset the Solihull fans.

Charlton, too, were away winners, taking both points from Torquay, thereby jumping into a challenging position for the leadership. Newport County suffered their first defeat, going down at Bournemouth, where the local side gained their first victory of the present season.

Sixteen matches were played in the English League. Full results and revised tables will be found in the Sports Pages.

PROTECTION FOR FOREIGNERS

CHARHAR'S SPECIAL PROVISIONS

Kalgan, Sept. 5. General Soong, Tso-yuan, Governor of Charhar, has appointed a committee to plan the development of a suburb of Kalgan as a foreign trade quarter in order to accord foreign residents better protection.—*Central News.*

DRAFT REGULATION. Nanking, Sept. 6. The Central Political Council has approved the draft of a regulation governing foreign travel in the interior, which aims at giving fuller protection to foreigners and at the same time limits their activities to certain spheres.—*Central News.*

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Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritts have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

New York Cotton.

Sept. 4. Close. Sept. 5. Closing Range.

October 18.01 18.16-18.16

December 18.14 18.29-18.30

January 18.17 18.34-18.34

March 18.30 18.39-18.39

May 18.24 18.45-18.45

July 18.20 18.51-18.51

Spot 18.16 18.35

New York Rubber:

September 15.54 15.91-15.91

October 16.00 15.91-15.91

December 15.93 16.16-16.17

January 16.04 16.29-16.30

March 16.31 16.56-16.57

May 16.57 16.84-16.84

July 17.11 17.11

Total Sales—279 lots.

Chicago Wheat:

September 102% 105 -104%

December 103% 100 -100%

May 104% 107 -107%

Tuesday's sales—19,840,000 bushels

Chicago Corn:

September 70% 70% 70%

December 80% 80% 80%

May 82% 83% 83%

Total sales—11,800,000 bushels

Winnipeg Wheat:

October 81% 82% 82%

December 82% 82% 82%

May 87% 88% 88%

New York Sugar:

September 1.88 1.91-1.91

December 1.91 1.91-1.91

March 1.92 1.92-1.92

May 1.93 1.93-1.93

Total sales—18,000 tons